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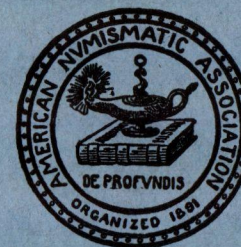
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1825, '26, '27, '28 Each, Unc., \$1.25. Ex. fine, \$1.00. Fine75
1829, '30, '31, '32 Each, Unc., \$1.25. Ex. fine, \$1.00. Fine75
1833, '34, '35, '36 Each, Unc., \$1.25. Ex. fine, \$1.00. Fine75
1836, Milled edge, Proof, \$35.00. Unc., \$12.50. Ex. fine, \$7.50. V.F.	6.00
1837, '38, '39 Each, Unc., \$1.25. Ex. fine, \$1.00. V. F., 85c. Fine...	.75
1839, O Mint, Ex. fine, \$3.50. V. F., \$2.50. Fine, \$1.75. Very good.	1.25
1839, Liberty Seated, Unc., \$3.50. Ex. fine, \$2.50. V. F., \$2.00. Fine	1.50
1840, Unc., \$2.00. Ex. fine, \$1.50. Very fine, \$1.25. Fine	1.00
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1842, O Mint, Fine	1.50
1843, 1843 O, Each, Unc., \$1.50. Fine	1.00
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1845, O Mint, Ex. fine, \$1.25. Very fine	1.00
1846, Tall date, Unc., \$1.75. Fine	1.00
1846, Low date, Unc., \$1.25. Fine75
1846, 6 over horizontal 6, Ex. fine	22.50
1847, Unc., \$2.25. Ex. fine	1.75
1848, Unc., \$3.50. Fine	1.50
1849, Unc., \$1.75. Ex. fine	1.25
1850, O Mint, Uncirculated	2.50
1851, Unc., \$6.50. Ex. fine, \$3.50. Very fine	2.50
1851, O Mint, Unc., \$4.50. Ex. fine, \$2.50. Very fine	1.50
1852, Unc., \$7.50. Ex. fine	6.00
1853, Unc., \$2.50. Ex. fine, \$1.75. Very fine, \$1.25. Fine	1.00
1853, O Mint, Unc., \$5.00. Very fine, \$3.50. Fine	2.25
1854, 1854 O, 1855 O, Uncirculated	Each 1.00
1856 O, 1857, 1858, 1858 O, Uncirculated	Each 1.00
1859, 1860, Proof, Each, \$1.75. Uncirculated	Each 1.25
1859 O, 1860 O, Uncirculated	Each 1.50
1861, Proof, \$1.75. Uncirculated, \$1.00. Fine75
1861, O Mint, Proof, \$7.50. Uncirculated, \$4.50. Very good	1.50
1861, Confed, restrike, with obverse J. W. Scott's card, Very fine..	13.50
1859 S, 1861 S, 1862 S, Very good	Each 1.25
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The Copper Coins of France

Comprising Coins Struck for Circulation and Illustrated From Specimens in
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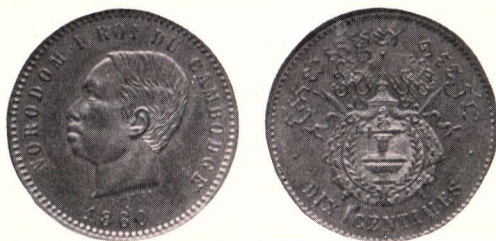
By O. P. EKLUND, Spokane, Wash.

(CONTINUED FROM LAST MONTH.)

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CAMBODIA.

Norodom I, 1860-1904.



No. 35.

34. 5 centimes 1860. Obv., NORODOM I ROI DU CAMBODGE 1860. Head to left. Rev., coat-of-arms, above in native characters, "Kingdom of Cambodia, five centimes" below the value in French.
35. 10 centimes 1860. Similar.

Tokens.

36. 10 centimes without date. Obv., SOMDACH PREA NORODOM PREA CHAUGRUNG * CAMPUCHEA * In field, the king's initial. Rev., 10. Brass.
37. 15 centimes. Similar. Brass.
38. 20 centimes. Similar. Brass.
39. 25 centimes. Similar. Brass.

Issued about 1870 for use in the Royal Palace.

40. 1 centime without date. Obv., ROYAUME DU CAMBODGE * 1 CENTIME * Rev., same inscription in native characters. In a field a raised square, in center of which a perforation. Brass. Issued in 1897 at Pnom Penh, capital city of Cambodia.

PONDICHERRY.

Rude coins struck on irregular planchets smaller than the dies. Consequently the entire device is seldom, if ever, found complete upon the coins.

41. Cache without date. Obv., a large fleur-de-lis. Rev., "Pondicherry" in Tamul characters. Rare.
 42. $\frac{1}{2}$ doudou. Similar, but larger. Scarce.



No. 43.

43. 1 doudou. Similar, but larger than last.
 44. 1 cache 1836. Obv., a cock standing to left, resting one foot upon a small globe, date in exergue. Rev., similar to preceding. (This coin is about the same size as the 1 doudou.)



No. 44.

45. Cache without date. Obv., a rude imitation of a bust of the Kali of Negapatam. Rev., similar to preceding. Rare.

Issued during the Dutch Occupation of Pondicherry, 1693-1698.

Karikal and Pondicherry.

46. Cache without date. Obv., "Karikal" in Tamul characters. Rev., similar to preceding. Rare.
 47. $\frac{1}{2}$ doudou. Similar, but larger. Scarce.
 48. 1 doudou. Similar, but still larger.

Mahe.

Coins struck at Pondicherry.

49. $\frac{1}{4}$ biche 1730-90. Obv., five fleurs-de-lis. Rev., date. Very rare.
 50. $\frac{1}{2}$ biche 1730-90. Similar, but larger. Scarce.
 51. 1 biche 1730-90. Similar, except for size.

Reunion Island.

Struck at Pondicherry cir. 1723.



No. 52.

52. $\frac{1}{2}$ fanam (1 sol) without date. Obv., a large crown. Rev., nine fleurs-de-lis. Scarce.
 53. 1 fanam. Similar, but larger. Scarce.

Modern Coins.

54. 50 centimes 1896. Obv., REPUBLIQUE FRANCAISE. ILE DE LA REUNION. Head of Mercury to left. Rev., CONTRE VALEUR DEPOSEE AU TRESOR COLONIAL. In field, BON POUR | 50 CENT. | 1896. Copper-nickel.

55. 1 franc 1896. Similar. Copper-nickel.



No. 55.

SYRIA.

Issued by the Bank of Syria.

56. $\frac{1}{2}$ piastre 1921. Obv., BANQUE DE SYRIE. In field, $\frac{1}{2}$ | PIASTRE | SYRIENNE within wreath, date below. Rev., similar inscription in Arabic characters. Copper-nickel.
57. 5 piastres 1926—. Obv., ETAT DE SYRIE above and below Arabic inscription and dates. Rev., CINQ PIASTRES above, in center two ears of grain crossed and flanked by 5 and the same numeral in Persian, Arabic inscription below. Ornate borders. Aluminum, bronze.

Grand Lebanon.

58. 2 piastres 1924. Obv., ETAT DU GRAND LIBAN, same in Arabic, date. A cedar divides the date in Arabic within a circle. Rev., 2 PIASTRES | SYRIENNES above, same in Arabic below. Aluminum, bronze.
59. 5 piastres 1924. Similar. Aluminum, bronze.



No. 59.

60. 1 piastre 1925. Obv., ETAT DU GRAND LIBAN, same in Arabic above; in center, a perforation within wreath. Rev., 1 PIASTRE 1, same in Arabic above, dates below, a lion's face either side of the perforation. Nickel.



No. 60.

61. 5 piastres 1925. Obv., a cedar, ETAT DU GRAND LIBAN, same in Arabic above, tiny honey bees divide the inscriptions. Rev., a galley, value and dates below, value in Arabic above. Aluminum, bronze.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Metal and Paper Currencies of The Americas

This digest of the "Metal and Paper Currencies of The Americas" was begun in December and will be continued for a few months. It has been compiled by James A. G. Pennington, of the Specialties Division, Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, Washington, from reports received from representatives of the Departments of Commerce and State and from the Treasury Department. Similar compilations of the currency of other parts of the world have been published by us previously, also by Mr. Pennington.

The terms "silver," "nickel," "copper," etc., indicate that the coins contain fifty per cent. or more of the metal named. The metal composition of the coins varies greatly in different countries.

As this list was compiled a few months ago, before Great Britain suspended the gold standard, the value of the pound sterling in United States currency is given as of the gold basis—\$4.8665. As the present value of the pound is subject to fluctuation, the compiler's figures will be used throughout the series of papers.

(CONTINUED FROM LAST MONTH.)

JAMAICA.

The official unit of currency of Jamaica is the pound sterling, which consists of 7.3224 grams of fine gold. The pound has a par value of approximately \$4.8665 United States currency. Parity of the pound in Jamaica has not been established by law or decree.

The metal currency used in Jamaica consists of British coins, details of which will be found under the Bahamas, and the following Jamaican coins: Nickel, penny, halfpenny and farthing.

On December 31, 1929 there were silver coins in circulation in Jamaica to the value of 180,000 pounds sterling. There are no old issues of coins in circulation no longer mentioned in the present monetary law. The only foreign metal currency in circulation consists of United States gold and silver coins. Their circulation is limited and the silver coins have no legal status. There are no restrictions on the importation or exportation of gold or silver coins or bullion. The importation of foreign minor coins is permitted.

The paper currency of Jamaica consists of the following notes: 10, 5 and 1 pound, and 10 and 5 shillings.

The United States \$1 notes circulate freely, but are not legal tender. No old issues of notes no longer mentioned in the present monetary law are in circulation. The only foreign paper money in circulation consists of United States notes of various denominations, which, however, have no legal status.

LEEWARD ISLANDS, BRITISH.

(Antigua, St. Kitts-Nevis, Montserrat, Dominica, British Virgin Islands).

The official unit of currency of the British Leeward Islands is the pound sterling, which consists of 7.3224 grams of fine gold. The pound has a par value of approximately \$4.8665 United States currency. A West Indian dollar currency at the fixed rate of \$4.80 to the pound is also used. The present parity of the pound was established by Section 1 of the British Gold Standard Act of 1925 and the British Bank Charter Act of 1844.

The metal currency used in the British Leeward Islands consists of British coins, which are described under the Bahama Islands.

The extent of the circulation of old issues of coins is not known.

Foreign metal currency in circulation consists of United States coins including those of gold.

The paper currency of the British Leeward Islands consists of the following notes: 10 and 5 shillings, 2 shillings 6 pence and 5 dollars.

The extent of the circulation of old issues of notes is not known. Foreign paper currency is confined to United States notes of various denominations. Accounts of the Government are kept in sterling, while private accounts are largely kept in West Indian dollars and cents.

MEXICO.

The official unit of currency of Mexico, according to the Monetary Law of July 25, 1931 is: "The unit of the monetary system of the United Mexican

States is the peso, with the equivalent of 75 centigrams of fine gold." The Monetary Law of July 25, 1931 suspended the coinage of gold pesos and deprived those previously coined of legal tender powers. The same law made the one peso silver coin of the coinage created by the Law of October 27, 1919, unlimited legal tender.

The metal currency of Mexico consists of the following coins: Gold, 50, 20, 10 and 5 pesos; silver, 2 and 1 peso, 50, 20 and 10 centavos; nickel, 5 centavos; bronze, 20, 10, 5, 2 and 1 centavo.

Legal-tender provisions of the Monetary Law of July 25, 1931 are:

"The silver coins of one peso of the coinage created by the law of October 27, 1919, will have unlimited legal tender power.

"There will continue with the character of fractional coins and with legal tender power limited to 20 pesos in a single payment the silver coins of 10, 20 and 50 centavos of the coinage created, respectively, by the laws of April 29, 1925, and of October 27, 1919. There will continue also with the character of fractional coins the bronze coins of 5 centavos created by the decree of April 25, 1914, and those of 1 and 2 centavos created by the law of March 25, 1905. These coins will have a legal tender value limited to 2 pesos in a single payment."

Old issues of coins have all been demonetized and do not have any circulation, except the 10-centavo and 20-centavo bronze pieces, which are occasionally seen. The circulation of foreign coins is limited to those of the United States and Guatemala, and it is unimportant, as they have no legal status.

The importation and exportation of gold is unrestricted. The importation of silver coins, Mexican or foreign, of any denomination is prohibited by a Presidential decree signed on March 18, 1930, and published in *Diario Oficial* of April 26, 1930.

The paper currency of Mexico consists of the following notes: 1,000, 500, 100, 50, 20, 10 and 5 pesos.

Foreign notes in circulation are confined to those of the United States and Guatemala. They are used within 100 kilometers of the United States and Guatemala borders, although they have no legal status. The importation and circulation of foreign bank notes with the exception noted above is prohibited by Presidential decree of June 16, 1926.

NETHERLAND WEST INDIES.

(Curacao).

The official unit of currency of the Netherland West Indies is the gulden, or florin, of the Netherlands, which consists of 0.6048 gram of fine gold. The par value of the gulden is approximately \$0.402 United States currency. The present parity of the Netherlands gulden was fixed by the law of 1912.

The metal currency of the Netherland West Indies is the same as that of the Netherlands, with the exception of the special one-fourth and one-tenth gulden coins. The coins in circulation are as follows: Gold, 10 gulden; silver, 2½, 1 and ½ gulden, 25 and 10 cents; copper-nickel, 5 cents; copper, 2½ and 1 cent.

The 5-cent piece is square with rounded corners. There are no old issues of coins in circulation. Coins of all countries were in circulation until about 1900, when silver coins of the Netherlands were put into circulation. Gold coins of France, Great Britain, United States, and Venezuela have legal tender status at definite rates of exchange, and United States gold coins are in demand at certain times. There are no restrictions on the import or export of gold or silver coins. The importation of foreign coins is permitted.

The paper currency of the Netherland West Indies consists of the following notes: 500, 250, 100, 50, 25, 10, 5, 2½ and 1 gulden.

United States and Venezuelan notes are the only foreign notes in circulation, but their number is small. There is no prohibition on the importation of foreign notes.

NEWFOUNDLAND.

The official unit of currency of Newfoundland is the dollar. The par value of the Newfoundland dollar is \$1 United States currency. The present monetary system was established by an act passed January 7, 1895. Under

this act all British coins and United States gold coins were declared legal tender.

The metal currency of Newfoundland consists of the following coins: Silver, 50, 25, 20, 10 and 5 cents; copper, 1 cent.

Any coins struck prior to the date of the coinage order of March 30, 1917, shall continue to be legal tender in Newfoundland. The quantity of such old coins in circulation is not known. Foreign metal currencies in circulation consist of small quantities of British silver and copper coins as well as American, British, and Canadian gold. There are no restrictions on the importation or exportation of gold coins or bullion. The importation of silver and minor coins is prohibited, although they may be exported by the banks collecting them.

The paper currency used in Newfoundland consists of Canadian bank notes, and Newfoundland notes, as follows: \$2 and \$1.

There are no old issues of notes in circulation at present. Small amounts of British paper notes are in circulation, while United States bank notes of \$1 and \$2 denominations circulate freely. All notes of \$5 and multiples thereof are those issued and circulated by the branches of the four Canadian banks located in Newfoundland. The importation of foreign notes, except Canadian bank notes and British sterling notes is prohibited.

NICARAGUA.

The official unit of currency of Nicaragua is the cordoba, which consists of 1.5048 grams of fine gold. The cordoba has a par value of approximately \$1 United States currency. Actually no gold coins have been issued. The present parity of the cordoba was established by the act of March 20, 1912, which went into effect March 23, 1913.

The metal currency of Nicaragua consists of the following coins: Silver, 1 cordoba, 50, 25 and 10 centavos; copper-nickel, 5, 1 and $\frac{1}{2}$ centavo.

No gold coins have been issued, although the law regulating the coinage of money contains a provision for gold coins of 10, 5, $2\frac{1}{2}$ cordobas. The Nicaraguan law governing currency does not contain special legal tender provisions, but subsidiary silver and minor coins are legal tender up to 10 cordobas. There are no old issues of coins in circulation. United States currency is the only foreign money which circulates to any considerable extent in Nicaragua. There are no restrictions on the exportation or importation of gold or silver coins or bullion. The importation of foreign minor coins is permitted.

The paper currency of Nicaragua consists of the following notes: 100, 50, 20, 10, 5, 2 cordobas and 1 cordoba.

There are no old issues of notes in circulation. The only foreign notes in circulation to any extent are those of the United States. There are no restrictions on the importation of foreign notes.

PANAMA.

The official unit of currency of the Republic of Panama is the balboa, which consists of 1.5048 grams of fine gold. The par value of the balboa is approximately \$1.00 United States currency. The present parity of the balboa was established by the Currency Law, No. 48, of June 28, 1904.

The metal currency of the Republic of Panama consists of the following: Silver, 1 balboa, 50, 25 and 10 centavos; copper-nickel, 1 real or $\frac{1}{2}$ centavo.

United States coins circulate freely with full legal tender status. There are no old issues of coins in circulation. The only foreign coins in circulation are those of the United States. Gold and silver coins of the United States may be exported freely without previously securing permission from the Government. Other foreign gold and silver coins pay the duty specified and permission for their exportation must be secured. There are no import duties. There are no restrictions on the importation of foreign minor coins.

The paper currency in circulation in the Republic of Panama consists of United States notes. There are no old issues of notes in circulation. United States notes are the only foreign notes in circulation. There are no prohibitions on the importation of foreign notes, but only United States notes are legal tender.

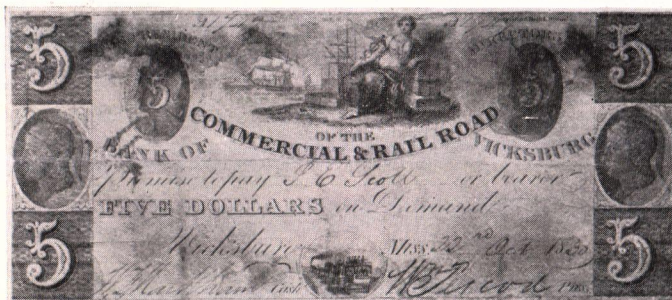
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Mississippi's Pioneer Railroads

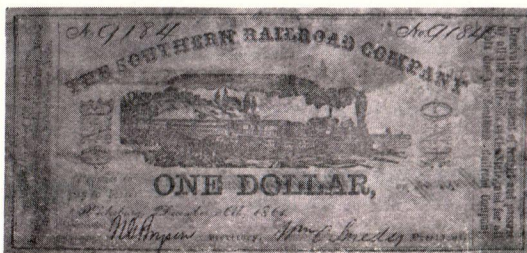
By WALDO C. MOORE.

The one-hundredth birthday of Mississippi's oldest railroad, the historic Vicksburg route of the Illinois Central System, was observed recently. On December 19, 1831, the Mississippi Legislature granted a charter to the Clinton and Vicksburg Railroad Company, the first of several railway companies which were organized to build and operate parts of the line between Vicksburg and Meridian.

At that date there were only fifty-four miles of railroad in operation in America. Mississippi was then largely a wilderness. The most important town in the state was Natchez, with a population of 2800. Vicksburg was a small village, Jackson was a mere hamlet and Meridian did not exist. Surveying was started at once and actual construction of the road was begun at Vicksburg in 1833, and shortly thereafter the original company was succeeded by the Commercial and Railroad Bank of Vicksburg and plans were revised to carry the road to Jackson.



Between 1833 and 1838 another company, the Jackson and Brandon Railroad and Bridge Company, extended the line from Jackson to Brandon. In 1838, the Southern Railroad Company, which subsequently acquired control between Vicksburg and Brandon, extended the road to Morton. In June, 1861, the extension to Meridian was completed and the first train to run over the entire route from Vicksburg steamed into Meridian, a hamlet then of about one hundred inhabitants.



In 1889 the entire line became a part of the Queen and Crescent Route. The Meridian and Vicksburg line was subsequently known as the Alabama and Vicksburg Railway or Mississippi and Alabama Railroad Company. It became a part of the Illinois Central System in June, 1926.

Many students of railway history are of the opinion, had it not been for the Civil War, the Vicksburg Route would have been a link in the first transcontinental railroad. The "Thirty-second Parallel" route, extending from Charleston, S. C., to San Diego, Cal., through Vicksburg, had been the

dream of engineers and the theme of statesmen from the time of the great California gold rush until the outbreak of the Civil War. Before that great conflict was brought to a close the route westward from Omaha had been definitely chosen. Thus, the present Union Pacific, instead of the Vicksburg road, became the first rail route to the Pacific Coast.

On December 20, 1831, the day after the Mississippi Legislature had chartered the Clinton and Vicksburg Railroad Company, a charter was also granted the West Feliciana Railroad Company for the construction of the Mississippi portion of the road between St. Francisville, La., and Woodville, Miss., the present Woodville branch of the Illinois Central System.



The following is an incomplete history of the obsolete paper money issued in days ago by the various companies herein mentioned.

The Clinton and Vicksburg Railroad Company had no issue so far as can be traced.

The Commercial and Railroad Bank of Vicksburg issued currency of various denominations.

The Vicksburg and Jackson Railroad Company, so far as known, had no issue.

The Jackson and Brandon Railroad and Bridge Company had no currency issue so far as known.



The Southern Railroad Company issued currency under the dates of December 26, 1861, and January 27, 1862.

The Mississippi and Alabama Railroad Company has the credit of having issued one or more varieties each of \$5, \$10, \$20, \$25, \$50, \$100, \$500, and \$1000 denominations.

The West Feliciana Railroad Company had an interesting currency issue which was made payable at the office in Woodville.

Credit is here given Mr. D. C. Wismer for kindness in loaning some of the notes for illustration.

Three hundred coins which were probably tossed to the gods on a burning altar as a viking sacrifice some 900 years ago have been unearthed on the Island of Gothland, in the Baltic.

War Medals of Canada

ADDITIONS AND ERRATA.

During the year 1931 there appeared in THE NUMISMATIST a list of War Medals of Canada. Series of articles of this nature do not go without errors or omissions, which must necessarily be rectified. I will now publishd a supplementary list of medals then unknown or unknown varieties.

Louisbourg Taken, 1758.

This rare medal is, however, generally placed in the category of historic medals.

For the taking of Louisbourg on July 26, 1758, medals were awarded to those who distinguished themselves upon land under Generals Amherst and Wolfe, and at sea under Admiral Boscawen. These medals were probably intended to be commemorative rather than worn as decorations. Below description as given in Betts No. 410.

No. OA—Obverse, PARITER . IN . BELLA on a scroll over a globe (Equally brave in war—alluding to army and navy as shown below). Near the edge of the medal, at the bottom on the left, T. Pingo. F. A prostrate naked female figure on a rock in the foreground, pointing to an inverted fleur-de-lis. Resting on the female is a globe, inscribed, in their proper places, CANADA, AMERICA; on the left is a British grenadier with a musket and bayonet, and on the right a sailor with his hat raised; behind the globe is the Union Jack, and above, Fame flying to left and blowing a trumpet; in her left hand is a laurel wreath; in the distance are boats and a high rock. Reverse, LOVISBOVRG . TAKEN . MDCCLVIII View of the attack on the city, from the inside of a battery with soldiers, who are shelling the fortified town on the right; a bomb just fired is seen in the air, leaving a long track. At the left a lighthouse; on the ocean in front of the battery are eight war vessels and a number of small boats; one of the former is in flames (representing the cutting out of the Prudent and Bienfaisant).

A. J. N., IX, 2. Med. Ill. Geo. II, 404-685, Breton No. 45, Leroux No. 857, Sandham No. 6, Tancred p. 44.

Gold with ring for suspension. Size 1.7 in. in diameter. The ribbon for this is half brownish-yellow and light purple. Four specimens of the gold medal are known to exist, one of which was in the Montague Collection, another was sold at Sotheby's in 1895, and those awarded to Sir Alexander Schomberg and to Senior Midshipman (afterwards Sir George) Young.

No. OB—Obverse and reverse same as No. OA, silver. The specimen in silver in the British Museum has an engraved inscription on the edge.

No. OC—Obverse and reverse same as No. OA. Bronze.

No. 3—(THE NUMISMATIST, January, 1931, pp. 10-12). Thanks to information received from Mr. Harvey L. Hansen, of the Pacific Coast Numismatic Society, I was able to trace the gold medal of 1812-13, awarded Lieut.-Col. Charles de Salaberry, C. B. I cannot say when this medal was brought to England, but it was for some years back in the collection of the late Hon. Herbert Eaton (afterwards Lord Cheylesmore), who lent his collection to the United Service Institution for some years. After the death of his Lordship the collection was sold by auction in July, 1930, in London, and the medal passed into the collection of Sir (Colonel) Albert E. Whitaker, C.B.E., Babworth Hall, Retford, Notts., England, who has one of the largest collections in the United Kingdom. The medal brought £110.

Colonel Whitaker was recently approached by the regiment to which Lieut.-Col. de Salaberry belonged, the Sixtieth Rifles, this regiment being very anxious to have the medal if at any time his collection should be broken up, but this gentleman hopes at any rate for the present this may not be the case.

(La Revue Populaire, Janvier, 1931, B. R. H. Aout 1931, pp. 483-485).

No. 6—(THE NUMISMATIST, March, 1931, pp. 187-188. The Gleaner, November 26th, 1930). Size of 2¼ in. is in error. There were awarded for Fort Detroit, 58 to regular troops and 221 to Canadian militia and Indians.

No. 7—(do) For Chateauguay, 260 to militia and warriors, and 3 only to regulars.

No. 8—(do) For Chrystler's Farm, 127 to regulars and 55 to militia.

John Crysler, lieutenant, Dundas Militia, 1803. Medal and clasp, Chrystler's Farm. Colonel First Dundas, April, 1837.

No. 12—(THE NUMISMATIST, March, 1931, pp. 187-188. The Gleaner, November 26th, 1930.) Jean Bte. Lapierre (not Leclaire) served in Eighth Battalion of Trois Rivieres militia; awarded medal and three clasps War of 1812-15, Fort Detroit, Chateaguay and Chrystler's Farm. Shared in the gratuity voted by Parliament in 1875, \$2000. Age at that time 79. Residing at St. Leon, Maskinonge. Rank in militia that of a private. Medal of this party was in the collection of Mr. James Oliver.

No. 14—(THE NUMISMATIST, May, 1931, p. 331-333. Gleaner, January 28, 1931.) Obverse, under bust, letters T. B. Size 1 7/16.

No. 22—(THE NUMISMATIST, July, 1931, pp. 496-7. The Gleaner, February 25th, 1931. La Presse, 18 September, 1931). Obverse, L. C. Wyon on the truncation of the neck.

The Canadian contingent to the Nile Expedition was made up and recruited as follows: Officers, 8; Caughnawaga, 56; Manitoba, 88; Trois-Rivieres, 40; Ottawa, 169; Peterboro, 15, Sherbrooke, 6; Sydney, 1; Hospital attendant, 1; Foremen, 8—Total, 384.

No. 25—(THE NUMISMATIST, August, 1931, pp. 561-62. The Gleaner, May 27th, 1931.) Obverse, L. C. Wyon on the truncation of the neck.

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DECIMALS FOR BRITISH COINS.

The latest proposal to introduce the decimal system into British money was put forward by Harry Allcock to the Manchester Society of Chartered Accountants in an address which the Decimal Educator for December prints. Mr. Allcock proposes a new penny, of which one and one-quarter would be equal to one and one-half of the present pennies. His coins would be a farthing, a half penny, a penny, two pence, a half shilling (five pence), a shilling (ten pence), two shillings (twenty pence), five shillings (fifty pence), ten shillings (100 pence) and a pound (200 pence). It is pointed out that no new names would be introduced.

It is recommended by Mr. Allcock that the Government introduce the new system by decree, and require each holder of the present pence to turn one-sixth of them into the Treasury. He recognizes that there would be objectors to this; some individuals would feel that they were being cheated if they were called on to sacrifice the quarter penny. Experience shows, however, that most persons quickly adapt themselves to new coinages and submit gracefully if not gratefully to the temporary inconveniences and the minor sacrifices involved in their introduction. If Mr. Allcock's scheme were adopted and a handsome penny were minted it would soon drive out the old piece.

MINER FINDS GOLD ALREADY MINTED.

To find gold dust or nuggets is not so unusual. To find gold minted and ready for the bank is something else. I. A. Briggs, miner, Bidwell Bar, Cal., had that experience recently.

He was panning for gold in the river. Noting something bright in his pan, he discovered that he had "mined" two \$2.50 gold pieces, one dated 1847 and the other 1851. It is believed that some early-day miner in this old gold camp lost them.

Sidelights on Numismatics

By CHARLES N. SCHMALL, New York, N. Y.

(Continued from page 150, March, 1932, issue of The Numismatist.)

No. 11.—SUNKEN NUMISMATIC TREASURES.

Full many a gem of purest ray serene,
The dark unfathomed caves of ocean bear;
Full many a flower is born to blush unseen
And waste its fragrance on the desert air.

—From Gray's "Elegy."

In the first two lines of the foregoing stanza the poet probably alludes to the pearls, corals and precious stones found in the depths of the sea. To these might be added the monetary treasures that repose on the ocean's floor in the hulls of submerged vessels. A few instances will illustrate the point.

(1) In 1588 the warship *Florenzia*, a vessel of the Spanish "Invincible Armada" went down in Tobermory Bay, off the coast of Scotland, with a cargo of gold believed to have totaled \$15,000,000. Several attempts at salvage have met with little success.

(2) In 1680 the English corvette *Good Faith* was lost in Silver Bay, Jamaica, with about \$7,000,000 captured from the Spaniards.

(3) In 1702 a number of Spanish galleons were scuttled in the harbor of Vigo, Spain, to avoid capture by the English raiding fleet. With them went down gold, silver and precious stones valued at \$140,000,000 and just brought home as the fruit and loot of four years activity in Mexico.

(4) In 1780 the British frigate *Hussar* sank in the East River, off the tip of Randall's Island, New York City. She had on board about \$2,500,000 in gold, intended as pay for the British Army fighting the Continentals in this vicinity.

(5) In October, 1799, the British frigate *Lutine*, formerly taken from the French, foundered at the entrance to the Zuyder Zee, Holland, with a consignment of gold destined for Hamburg, Germany, and exceeding \$2,000,000 in value. Several attempts to salvage this treasure have met with partial success, and about \$550,000 has been recovered to date. It is said that the cargo was insured by Lloyd's Agency, and the loss was promptly paid by this company.

(6) During the Crimean War, the British warship *Black Prince*, carrying about \$3,000,000 in gold to pay the British troops, was sunk by Russian guns at Sevastopol, in the Black Sea (1854-55).

(7) In 1884 the Spanish liner *Alphonso XII* foundered off the Canary Islands with \$500,000 in new coin.

In more recent times the case of the *Lusitania* and others could be included.

"EVERYBODY'S COIN BOOK" HAS LARGE SALE.

The sale of the pamphlet, "Everybody's Coin Book," to which reference was made in our last month's issue, has been extraordinary. We are informed that the first edition of 25,000 has been sold (without quantity orders). A second edition, with a few minor corrections, has now been printed. The manuscript for this pamphlet was submitted to Farran Zerbe, curator of the collection of the Chase National Bank, New York City, for suggestions and corrections before publication.

DEPRESSION INCREASES USE OF SLUGS.

The depression seems to be boosting the popularity of the slug, or imitation coin. During 1931 a total of 117,501 such slugs were deposited in Boston Elevated Railway coin boxes in lieu of dimes, compared with only 71,000 in 1930. The New England Telephone and Telegraph Company reports that the number of slugs deposited in its pay station coin boxes increased 150 per cent. last year over the previous year.

Descriptive List of Obsolete Paper Money

By D. C. WISMER, Hatfield, Pa.

PART I—Embracing the Circulating Notes Issued by State Banks, Private Banks, Bankers and Corporations.

Abbreviations { R.—Right end illustration.
C.—Central illustration on note.
L.—Left end illustration.

(The publication of this list was begun June, 1922.)

(CONTINUED FROM LAST MONTH.)

PENNSYLVANIA.

The first settlement in Pennsylvania was made by the Swedes at Chester, along the Delaware River, in 1638. Pennsylvania was one of the Thirteen Original States forming the United States in 1776.

ALLEGHENY (Joined to Pittsburgh).

Allegheny Bank (Closed prior to 1830).

Allegheny Bank (Refer to Pittsburgh).

1. \$5. C., steamboat, raft, steamboat, city and hills in distance. R., portrait of young lady, 5 above. L., locomotive, 5 on FIVE above.
2. \$5. Similar to No. 1, excepting red overprint.
3. \$10. C., three cherubs with lever, sledge, wedge and stone. R., bull's head, 10 above. L., portrait of young lady with dove, X above. Red overprint.
4. \$20. C., two females seated, agricultural implements on shield. R., sheep, etc., negro holding bull, 20 above. L., girl's portrait, 20 above. Red overprint.
5. \$50. C., row of steamboats at a river landing, barrels, horses and carts. R., Indian portrait, 50 above. L., portrait of young lady, 50 above. Red overprint.
6. \$100. C., Mexican lassoing wild cattle. R., boy's portrait, C above. L., Ceres, 100 above. Red overprint.

Allegheny Savings Fund Company (Incorporated in 1849).

Mechanics Saving Bank.

Merchants and Farmers Bank.

ALLENTOWN.

Allentown Bank.

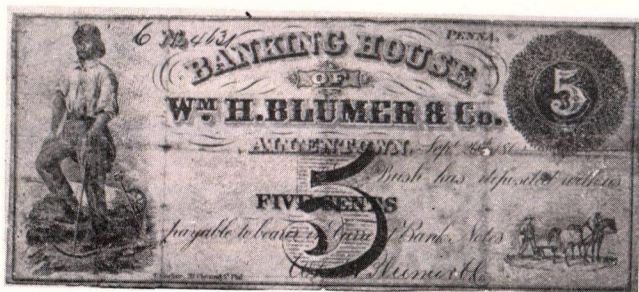
(Established in 1855. Changed to Allentown National Bank in 1865.)

7. \$1. C., 1, young lady's portrait at right. R, spread eagle, ONE on 1 above. L., farmer, horses, swine, chickens, etc., at trough, cattle and barn, 1 below. Apr. 22, 1861.
8. \$1. Similar to No. 7, excepting black and red print. Apr. 28, 1862.
9. \$2. C., horse each side of shield surmounted by an eagle, 2 each side. R., woman beside sewing machine, 2 above. L., portrait of Clay, 2 above. Apr. 22, 1861.
10. \$2. Similar to No. 9, excepting black and red print.
11. \$5. C., men on horseback driving cattle. R., lady's portrait, 5 above. L., boy and rabbits, 5 above.
12. \$10. C., farmer, sailor and mechanic. R, portrait of Penn, 10 above. L., girl carrying bundle of sticks, 10 below.
13. \$20. C., 20 on die. R., girl with hen and chickens, 20 below. L.,

farmer seated holding a glass, woman seated holding a plate, TWENTY above.

14. \$50. C., agricultural scene, 50 at left. R., female bust, 50 above. L., Ceres standing.
15. \$100. C., portrait of Washington, C each side. R., locomotive, 100 above. L., blacksmith, 100 above.

Banking House of Wm. H. Blumer and Company.



No. 16.

16. 5c. C., 5 outlined in red. R., farmer plowing, 5 above. L., man standing. Sept. 20, 1862.
17. 10c. C., TEN in green. R., farmer plowing, 10 above. L., Justice. Sept. 20, 1862.
18. 25c. C., 25 outlined in green. R., dog, safe and key, 25 above. L., Indian maid. Sept. 20th, 1862.
19. 50c. C., 50 in red. R., sheaves, plow, rake and shovel, 50 above. L., Ceres, sheaf and fruit. Sept 20th, 1862.

Dime Savings Institution.

20. 25c. C., basket of flowers. R, swan L., eagle. Nov. 5, 1862. Reads: "THE DIMES SAVINGS INSTITUTION will pay to Bearer TWENTY-FIVE CENTS in currency."

Juniata County Bank.

Lehigh County Bank.



No. 22.

21. \$5. C., Aurora in chariot in clouds, portrait of Columbus at right, steamboat at left. R., Ceres seated on plow beside miniature portrait of Washington, 5 above and below. L., Liberty and Justice seated, 5 above and below. 24 Dec., 1844.

22. \$10. C., female with wand, and cherub with cornucopia seated in clouds, city and river below. R., portraits of Washington, John Adams, Jefferson and Madison on circular die, scroll work above and below. L., portrait of Indian maid, surrounded by arms of the States, scroll work above and below. 24 Dec., 1844.

Northampton Bank (Formerly at Northampton).

23. \$1. C., State arms, 1 on medallion head each side. R., portrait of DeWitt Clinton. L., Washington. June 8, 1841.
 24. \$5. C., beehive, bees and flowers, 5 on medallion head each side. R. and L., medallion head, 5 above and below. Feb. 6, 1841.
 25. \$10. C., Ceres seated beside sheaves, man garbed in Roman attire seated on right holding score-stick, 10 each side. R., Liberty seated, portrait of Robt. Morris above. L., cherub seated, male portrait above. September 26, 1839.



No. 26.

26. \$10. C., four allegorical figures representing Music, Science, Painting and Agriculture, 10 each side. R., portrait of Haydn above, portrait of Klopstock below. L., portrait of Herschel above, portrait of Goethe below. Printed in German. September 26, 1839.
 27. \$20. C., Liberty seated, leaning on oval containing 20, 20 each side. R., portrait of Cooper, locomotive above, beehive below. L., portrait of Fulton, steamboat above, Commerce seated below. September 26, 1839.

ALTOONA.

Johnston (Jack) and Company's Bank.

Lloyd (W. M.) and Company's Bank.

BEALLSVILLE.

Beallsville Savings Institution.

BEAVER.

Allegheny Beaver Bank.

Bank of Beaver.

Bank of the United States of Pennsylvania, Branch.

Beaver County Bank

BEDFORD.

Allegheny Bank of Pennsylvania.

Reed, Rupp and Shell's Bank.

BELLEFONTE.

Bellefonte Bank (Organized in 1863).

Bellefonte and Snow Shoe Railroad Company.

Centre Bank of Pennsylvania (Failed in 1823).

Humes, McAllister, Hale and Company, Bankers.

Reynolds (William F.) and Company, Bankers.

Tyrone and Lockhaven Railroad Company (Organized in 1857).

28. \$5. C., State arms. R., CHARTERED FEB. 21, 1857, FIVE above and below. L., locomotive, FIVE above and below. Green print.

BETHLEHEM.

Lehigh and Lackawanna Railroad Company.

BRIDGEPORT.

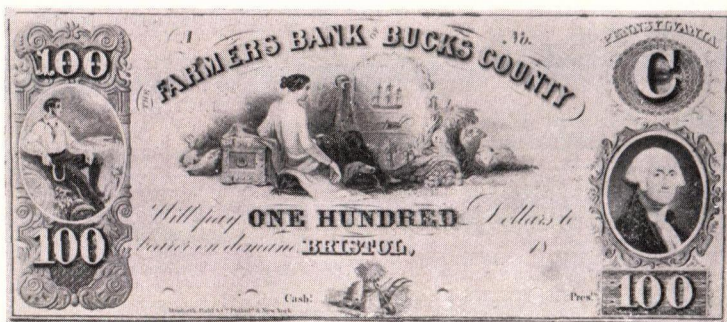
Chester Valley Railroad Company (Chartered April 22, 1850).

BRIGHTON (Changed to Beaver Falls, 1868).

Bank of Beaver County (Organized in 1858).

BRISTOL.

Farmers Bank of Bucks County.



No. 42.

(Incorporated Oct. 31st, 1814. First located at Hulmeville. Removed to Bristol in 1823. Changed to Farmers National Bank in 1864.)

29. \$1. C., milkmaid, cows, etc., ONE on medallion head each side. R. and L., ONE on medallion head, 1 above and below. June 18, 1841.
30. \$1. Similar to No. 29, excepting ONE in red on lower center. June 18, 1861.
31. \$1. C., boy reclining besides sheaves, rake and basket, distant house, 1 at left. R., portrait of Washington, 1 above. L., young lady standing, ONE above. Aug. 1st, 1861.
32. \$2. C., spread eagle on branch of tree. R., Justice seated in ornamental 2, TWO above and below. L., medallion head, 2 above and below. June 18, 1841.
33. \$2. Similar to No. 32, excepting TWO in red on lower center. May 1st, 1861.
34. \$2. Similar to No. 31, excepting denomination. Aug. 1st, 1861.

- 35. \$5. C., State arms, 5 each side. R., girl with rake, 5 above and below. L., portrait of Washington, 5 above and below. 1841.
- 36. \$5. C., farmer reclining beside tree, woman holding child, harvest scene in distance. R., portrait of Washington, V above, 5 below. L., portrait of Penn, 5 above, V below.
- 37. \$10. Have no description.
- 38. \$10. C., similar to No. 36, 10 at left. R., portrait of Penn, X above and below. L., portrait of Washington, 10 above and below. 1860.
- 39. \$20. Have no description.
- 40. \$20. C., view of bridge over canal, horses, wagon and drove of cattle, cherub at right. R., portrait of Washington, 20 above and below. L., portrait of Penn, 20 above and below.
- 41. \$50. C., FIFTY DOLLARS on 50 on a die; Venus below. R., portrait of Washington, 50 above. L., farmers loading wagon with sheaves of grain, FIFTY above.
- 42. \$100. C., Ceres reclining against a money chest, shield containing ship, plow and sheaves, sheep on right. R., portrait of Washington, C above, 100 below. L., farmer seated, 100 above and below.

BROOKVILLE.

Corbet's (W. W.) Bank.

Rogers' (M.) Bank.

BROWNSVILLE.

Monongahela Bank.

(Established in 1812. Chartered as a State Bank in 1814. Changed to Monongahela National Bank in 1865.)

- 43. \$1. C., Ceres seated, 1 each side. R., ONE DOLLAR across. L., ONE across.
- 44. \$5. C., Ceres seated in large letter V, 5 each side. R., Liberty blowing trumpet. L., medallion head of Washington.
- 45. \$10. C., three farmers and one woman at lunch, 10 at left. R., large X supported by two allegorical figures, anvil, hammer, dividers and wand. L., medallion head, X above and below.
- 46. \$20. C., Liberty reclining, shield, eagle, etc., 20 at left. R., portrait of Washington, 20 above. L., lady's portrait.

CARBONDALE.

Gillespie, Pierce and Company's Bank.

CANONSBURG.

Canonsburg Savings Fund Society.

CARLISLE.

Bank of Carlisle (Refer to Carlisle Bank).

Beetem's (W. M.) Bank.

Carlisle Bank.

- 47. \$1. C., Liberty seated beside shield, train and steamboat in background, ornamental 1 at left, State arms below. R., milkmaid churning, ONE ONE on 1 below. L., medallion head, ONE below. June 19, 1841.
- 48. \$5. C., shield surmounted by eagle, Justice right, Liberty left, 5 each side, double medallion head below. R., portrait of Franklin. L., portrait of Washington. 1st Apr., 1829.

Carlisle Deposit Bank.

(Chartered 1846. Changed to Carlisle Deposit Bank and Trust Co.)

Cumberland Valley Railroad Company.

49. \$1. C., primitive train, village and river in distance, 1 on medallion head each side. R., drove of cattle, ONE above and below. L., boy carrying basket and shovel, ONE above and below. 26 Oct., 1837.
50. \$5. C., Commerce pointing to rainbow, distant ship. R., cow. L., primitive train. 1838.

Kerr, Brenneman and Company's Bank.**Kerr, Dunlap and Company's Bank.****Pennsylvania Agricultural and Manufacturers Bank.**

51. 5c. Feb. 2, 1816. Have no description.
52. 6¼c. Feb. 2, 1816. Have no description.
53. 10c. Feb. 2, 1816. Have no description.
54. 12½c. Feb. 2, 1816. Have no description.
55. 25c. Feb. 2, 1816. Have no description.

CATASAUQUA.**Bank of Catasauqua.**

(Founded in 1857. Changed to National Bank of Catasauqua in 1865.)

56. 25c. C., title of bank, dog and safe below. R., eagle, shield and flags. L., Industry, 25 below. Sept. 22, 1862.
57. \$1. C., portrait of young lady; ONE DOLLAR each side. R., mechanic, 1 above. L., eagle, 1 above.
58. \$2. C., farmers resting, woman, child, etc., 2 at right, eagle below. R., 2 above. L., soldiers in battle, 2 above, TWO below.
59. \$5. C., view of factories, bridge and water in foreground; white FIVE lower center. R., Indian woman and child, 5 above. L., farmer plowing, V above.
60. \$10. C., barnyard scene, farmer and drover bargaining for ox. R., Ceres, 10 above. L., girl feeding chickens, 10 above.
61. \$20. C., girl's portrait. R., men at work in coal mine, 20 above. L., train, mountains in background, 20 above.
62. \$50. C., men puddling iron; white FIFTY lower center. R., canal view, 50 above. L., hunter loading his rifle, 50 above.
63. \$100. C., C on large red die. R., Indian maid seated, 100 above. L., farmer and family, dog, hen and chickens, 100 above.

Catasauqua and Foglesville Railroad Company.**CATTAWISSA.****Cattawissa Bridge Company.**

64. \$3. C., title, 3 DOLLARS at right, THREE DOLLARS at left. R. and L., THREE DOLL. across. May 22, 1837.

Merchants' Association at Cattawissa.

65. 50c. C., Ceres seated, 50 each side. R., primitive train. L., steamboat. October 1, 1837.

CHAMBERSBURG.**Bank of Chambersburg.**

(Chartered in 1809. Changed to National Bank of Chambersburg in 1865.)

66. \$1. C., primitive train; ONE on medallion head each side. R., portrait of Harrison. L., portrait of Washington. 4th May, 1841.
67. \$1. C., ONE on 1, 1 each side. R., a venerable man holding child, pointing to bust of Washington, 1 above. L., Benjamin Franklin seated in library, 1 above.

68. \$2. C., agricultural implements, TWO DOLLARS on TWO below. R., lady with wreath on her head. 2 above. L., two allegorical figures, 2 above.
69. \$5. Have no description.
70. \$5. C., two allegorical figures, agricultural implements, etc., 5 each s'de. R., 5, portrait of Franklin above, portrait of Marshall below. L., 5, portrait of Washington above, portrait of Lafayette below. Sept. 24, 1859.
71. \$10. C., instructor and pupil, TEN on medallion head each side. R., Ceres standing, X below. L., TEN on medallion head, X above, 10 below. Mar. 9, 1857.
72. \$10. C., man with bag of flour, horse, colt, mill, etc., boys on bridge. R., printer at his stand, 10 above. L., medallion head of Washington, 10 above.
73. \$20. C., spread eagle, medallion head each side. R., portrait of Washington. XX above, 20 below. L., portrait of William Penn, 20 above, XX below.
74. \$50. C., shield bearing ship, plow and sheaves, Goddess of Plenty on left. R., portrait of Franklin, 50 above, FIFTY below. L., medallion head, 50 above and below.
75. \$100. C., wild horses on prairie. R., 100 on medallion head, 100 below. L., portrait of Franklin, 100 above and below.

Chambersburg Bank (Organized in 1809. Refer to Bank of Chambersburg).

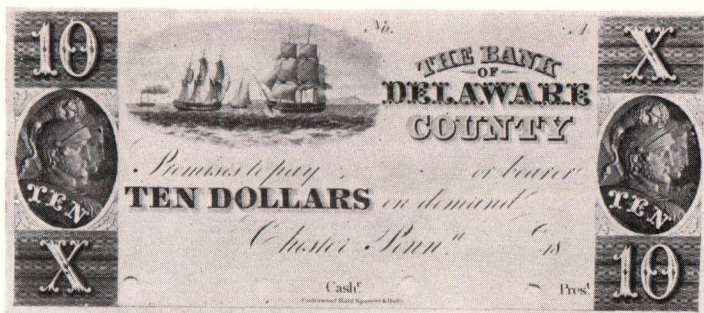
Chambersburg and Bedford Turnpike Road Company.

76. \$10. C., title, X at right, 10 at left. R., PENNSYLVANIA across. L., TEN DOLLARS across. 1st Feby., 1819.

Cumberland Valley Railroad Company (Chartered April 2, 1831).

CHESTER.

Bank of Delaware County.



No. 91.

(Established by Act of 1814. Opened for business December 5, 1814. Changed to Delaware County National Bank in 1864).

77. 5c. Have no description. Murray, Draper, Fairman & Co., Engraver.
78. 10c. Have no description. Murray, Draper, Fairman & Co., Engraver.
79. 25c. Have no description. Murray, Draper, Fairman & Co., Engraver.
80. 50c. Have no description. Murray, Draper, Fairman & Co., Engraver.
81. \$1. Have no description. (1815 period).
82. \$1. C., milkmaid beside cows, farmhouse in background; ONE on medallion head each side. R. and L., medallion head, 1 above and below. June 7, 1841.
83. \$1. C., milkmaid beside cows, farmhouse in distance, 1 each side. R. and L., similar to No. 82. Feb. 15, 1862.

84. \$2. Have no description. (1815 period.)
85. \$2. C., ships, steamboat, etc., 2 each side. R. and L., medallion head, 2 above and below. June 7, 1841.
86. \$2. Similar to No. 85. Feb. 15, 1862
87. \$3. Have no description. (1815 period.)
88. \$5. Have no description.
89. \$5. C., interior of blacksmith's shop, Pat Lyon at forge, FIVE on medallion head each side. R. and L., medallion head, 5 above, V below. 1862.
90. \$10. C., vessel, and lighthouse. R., head of a small girl, 10 above. L., farmer plowing with two horses, 10 below.
91. \$10. C., vessels at sea. R., TEN on double medallion head, X above, 10 below. L., TEN on double medallion head, 10 above, X below.
92. \$20. C., reaping scene, farmer leaning against tree, woman seated in foreground, house in distance, 20 on medallion head at left. R. and L., TWENTY on medallion head, 20 above and below. 1837.
93. \$20. C., view of Upland, a manufacturing village, showing the old grist mill and John P. Crozer's cotton factory. R., portrait of a girl, 20 above. L., portrait of William Penn, 20 above. 1860.
94. \$50. C., allegorical representation of Agriculture. R. and L., FIFTY, girl with rake above and below.
95. \$100. C., Justice and Liberty, shield between them, eagle and ship. R. and L., medallion head, 100 above and below.
96. \$500. C., eagle on a limb, lady's portrait at left. R., lady's portrait. 500 above. L., portrait of William Penn, 500 above, D below.

Farmers and Manufacturers Bank.

(Act passed in Mar., 1833 Governor Wolf sent a message to the Legislature disapproving the bill.)

Franklin Railroad Company (Chartered March 12, 1832).

CLEARFIELD.

Clearfield County Bank (Organized in 1862).

97. \$1. C., ornamental 1 in green, dog watching game on right, woodcutter leaning against boulder on left. R., Ceres, 1 above. L., State arms, 1 above and below. Sept. 9, 1863.
98. \$5. C., view of rafts on river, State arms at left, bear below. R. and L., 5.
99. \$10. C., woodcutting scene in forest, X each side. R., portrait of a lady, 10 above. L., State arms, 10 below.

Leonard, Finney and Company's Bank.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

THE URGE OF CONSCIENCE.

Six months ago Henry Schlosser, of Lindenhurst, Long Island, lost his wallet containing \$25 in New York City. Recently he received \$28 in a package with a letter signed "John Doe." The writer said he needed the money when he found it, but now he was eager to repay it and he inclosed \$3 interest for the use of it.

A quarter that was stolen twenty-five years ago from a bookstore in Muskogee, Okla., by a 14-year-old newsboy was returned with interest recently. Mrs. Mary E. Thatcher, bookstore manager, received a letter from Argyle, Tex., along with a \$2 bill. The letter recounted how, as a newsboy twenty-five years ago, the writer had seen a 25-cent piece on top of a counter. The boy took it. The writer of the letter said he justified his action by saying that some customer had left it. "But I felt like a criminal, or worse, as I walked from the store, for I knew better," the letter said.

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Editorial Comment—Numismatic News

WILL COMPILE LIST OF WASHINGTON MEDALS AND TOKENS.

Following the suggestion in our February issue, Harvey L. Hansen, Second Vice-President of the A. N. A., of Piedmont, Cal., has volunteered to undertake the compilation of a list of the Washington medals and tokens that may be issued in this bi-centennial year of his birth. It is expected that a number of such medals and tokens will be issued in different localities, and if the list is to approach completeness Mr. Hansen will have to have the cooperation and assistance of collectors. Every member of the A. N. A. and every reader of THE NUMISMATIST who may learn of any medallic issue struck in honor of Washington this year is requested to report it to Mr. Hansen, sending a specimen to him if possible to obtain it, with information as to its origin, manufacturer, number struck, etc. The list will be published in THE NUMISMATIST as early after the close of the celebration as possible. Mr. Hansen makes the following appeal for assistance from all:

"After reading the appeal in the February issue of THE NUMISMATIST for some one to make a list of Washington Bi-Centennial Medals and Tokens, I had the audacity to offer to do it and was promptly accepted.

"The Washington Bi-Centennial has been of great interest to me, and it will, therefore, be a pleasure for me to do my very best in making such a list possible. In order to make it as complete and all-inclusive as possible, I ask all A. N. A. members, district secretaries, local societies, dealers and medallic firms to advise me of any issues that come to their notice and to

furnish me with full information, so that proper listing can be made. In this way I am sure that a valuable and historic list can be made, which, when published, will be our contribution to the Bi-Centennial celebration."

HARVEY L. HANSEN.

123 Greenbank Ave., Piedmont, Calif.

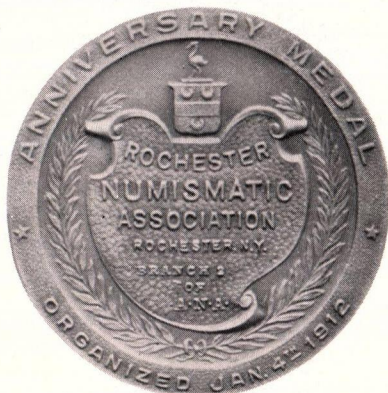
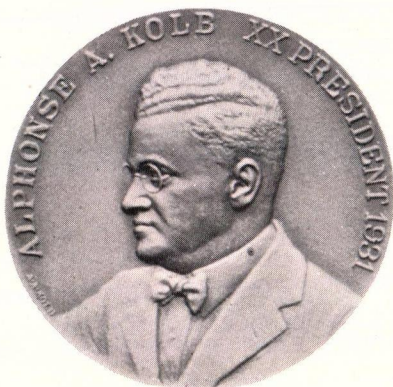
COUNTERMARKED STONE MOUNTAIN HALF DOLLARS.

An inquiry comes from one of our members in Chattanooga, Tenn., regarding the countermarking of Stone Mountain half dollars. The coin submitted for inspection has in the upper field the number 197, and in the lower field, immediately over Liberty, TENN. Our inquirer states that this is one of a number of similar countermarked coins, all having a different number, but so far his inquiry as to the purpose of this countermarking has not produced any positive information. Probably some of our readers can tell us about it.

FARRAN ZERBE.

R. N. A. 1931 PRESIDENTIAL MEDAL.

Following its custom since its foundation, the Rochester Numismatic Association has just issued its twentieth presidential medal. Like its predecessors, the medal bears on the obverse the portrait of the president for the year. In this instance it is Alphonse A. Kolb. The portrait is an excellent one, and as Mr. Kolb is a die cutter and made the dies from which it was struck, he will be pardoned if he put into this task all the skill he possesses.



He has been the die cutter of all the R. N. A. presidential medals in late years, previous to which time they were cut by his father. (The nineteen previous presidential medals of the R. N. A. were illustrated in reduced size in our February issue) The reverse is from a stock die, which has been used on all former medals.

THE HESSLEIN COIN BUSINESS SOLD AT AUCTION.

The coin business of William Hesslein, formerly conducted by him at 101 Tremont street, Boston, Mass., was sold at public auction on February 29 by the mortgagee. It was sold to the mortgagee at his bid of \$600. It included Mr. Hesslein's mailing list, good will, safes, cabinets, etc. George L. Tilden, Northboro, Mass., one of the creditors, informs us that the mortgagee has since sold his rights, title and business to a stamp dealer on Atlantic avenue, Boston, who will keep one of Mr. Hesslein's former clerks in charge and reopen the office. Irvin M. Davis, 18 Tremont street, has been appointed absentee receiver for the Hesslein business, who will have charge of the accounts and wind up the affairs of the office.

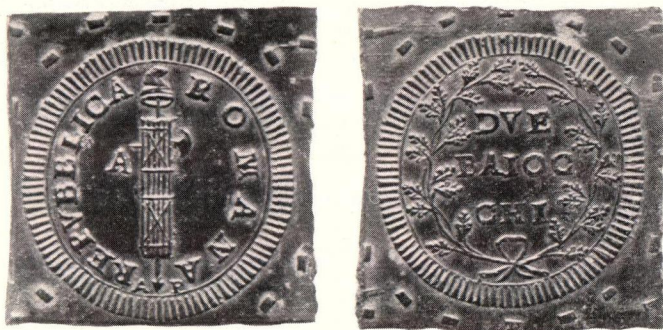
IMPRESSIONS OF COINS IN UNUSUAL SHAPE.

Coins which come to us in unusual shape or form have an interest far greater than those coming from the mints in the time-honored shape. This applies whether the pieces are from dies for a regular coinage or for patterns. We illustrate below a few such pieces, sent to us by Ragnar Cederlund, of Winnetka, Ill., a member of the A. N. A. and the Chicago Coin Club. Mr. Cederlund is perhaps the foremost collector of siege and necessity coins in the United States.



No. 1.

No. 1—Impresisons on a strip of copper or bronze of three obverse and reverse dies for pattern 2 baiocchi of the Roman Republic (1798-1799). The dies have slight differences and none are dated. (From the collection of Armand Gnagnath.)



No. 2.

No. 2—Impresison of obverse and reverse dies of a pattern for 2 baiocchi of Ancona, Roman Republic (1798-1799). Bronze.

No. 3—Trial impression of obverse and reverse dies for 3 baiocchi of the Second Roman Republic, 1849. Copper, 5x50x90 mm.



No. 3.

No. 4—Trial impression of obverse and reverse dies for 1 baiocco of the Second Roman Republic, 1849. Copper, 2x42x45 mm.



No. 4.

The regular issue of these two latter coins will be found in Mr. Eklund's list of "Copper Coins of Italy" in the July, 1930, issue of THE NUMISMATIST, page 479.

While digging in her rose garden, Miss Pennie Jones, of Edenton, N. C., turned up a cedar chest full of money. The currency, however, was of Confederate issue.

AND NOW WOODEN MONEY IS A REALITY.

When your Uncle Abner goes to the city it's almost certain some rustic will warn him "not to take any wooden nickels," but many residents of this community on the main Pacific highway took wooden money today. Furthermore, they paid the butcher and baker with it, says a press dispatch from Tenino, Wash.

The story of Tenino's "poker chip" money tells of one of the oddest bits of financing of the depression—and the most successful, too, for it worked perfectly.

Tenino was in tightened circumstances when the town bank closed recently. The chamber of commerce appointed a committee to thaw the bank's frozen assets, but depositors meanwhile needed funds to pay rent, buy groceries and clothing. The committee learned from bank liquidators when dividends were to be paid and also the amounts due depositors. Then veneer plywood was cut in the size and thickness of silver dollars and stamped in 25-cent, \$1, \$5 and \$10 denominations. Signatures of the committee, composed of Don M. Major, newspaper editor, and two town doctors, guaranteed the "coins."

Depositor Ben Bush needed \$500. He had that amount coming within a few months in a dividend, but couldn't wait. The committee issued \$500 in wooden money to him. He, in turn, agreed to redeem the "chips" in cash when the dividend was paid. Other depositors likewise received wooden "money" and were able to buy what they needed. The "money" is as "good as gold" and Tenino is liquid and solvent, its business men said.

And now comes the information that this wooden money is worth more than gold, for a demand for it has been created by collectors all over the country who want specimens and are willing, in most instances, to pay double face value for it.

A circular issued by the Tenino (Wash.) Clearing House reads as follows: "Wooden money is a circulating medium in Tenino, Wash., as a part of the plan of its Chamber of Commerce to thaw the frozen assets held in an insolvent bank. The Chamber of Commerce is accepting assignments up to 25 per cent. of the depositor's account in the bank, that being the expected proportion of the first dividend. In return scrip is issued to the amount of the assignment, in denominations of \$10, \$5, \$1, 50c. and 25c. Most of the business people have agreed to accept the scrip at face value, so it serves as a medium of exchange, doing duty every time it turns over, until the time comes for redemption. In order to protect the scrip from counterfeiting, the signatures of the three trustees are necessary, and the larger denominations are on lithographed forms, while the smaller fractional currency is on three-ply sheet-wood of Sitka spruce, a unique Washington timber product.

"Tenino is located in the center of southern Thurston county, an area containing thousands of acres of timber, valuable coal lands, sandstone quarries, dairying and general farming. Over three thousand acres of strawberries and cane berries have also aided in making the county one of the fastest growing agricultural districts in the Northwest. It is within easy access of the Pacific Ocean, Puget Sound, the Columbia River, and Mt. Rainier National Park. It is on the Pacific Highway and has three transcontinental railroads.

"The Tenino Chamber of Commerce offers its plan to combat the depression. It has proven that with confidence it can disprove even the old gag, 'don't take any wooden money.'"

Farran Zerbe, Curator of the Chase National Bank Collection, sends the following description of the three smaller denominations:

Face—25c., printed in blue; 50c., printed in red; \$1, printed in brown.

Reverse—25c., printed in brown; has Washington's portrait in center of wide rays; 50c., printed in blue, and \$1, printed in green; have Lincoln's portrait in center of starred field. All have "Tenino, Wash." below.

There are about 600 varieties of paper money with the portraits of George Washington in the Chase Bank Collection of Moneys of the World.

NEW AND RECENT ISSUES.

Panama—A dollar-size silver coin of Panama (Un Balboa) was struck in 1931. Pieces of 0.10, 0.25 and 0.50 balboa were struck in 1930. All were made at the Philadelphia Mint.



According to a law of December 19, 1930, the silver coins of Panama must be of the same value and size as the corresponding United States coins. United States gold and silver coins and currency circulate freely and are legal tender in Panama.

BELGIUM HAS LARGE NICKEL COIN.

What is probably the largest nickel coin ever issued was struck in Belgium in 1931—20 francs, or four belgas. The piece is full crown or dollar size and is struck in pure nickel without change in the usual designs.



The law of June 12, 1930, authorized the issue of subsidiary coins in the amount of 1,200,000,000 francs, and a royal decree of June 27, 1930, authorized the coinage of 10 and 5 franc coins made of pure nickel. This decree does not seem to have authorized a 20-franc coin, but a later decree is probably responsible for its issue. The piece is dated 1931.

THE NUMISMATIST AND THE A. N. A. TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO.

The April, 1907, issue of THE NUMISMATIST contained the following articles: "California Private Mint Gold Dollars" (continued); "So-Called Mint Restrike Cents." The department devoted to the A. N. A. contains the names of twelve applicants for membership. A revised constitution of the A. N. A. is printed in this issue, upon the adoption of which the membership is requested to vote. There are several communications suggesting that another convention of the A. N. A. be held during the year, the last one having been held in 1904. The prices realized at two recent auction sales are also given, and the death of Frank Sherman Benson, of Brooklyn, N. Y., is announced.

BRISTOL, R. I., ISSUES COMMEMORATIVE MEDAL.

A medal issued eighteen months ago to commemorate the 250th anniversary of the town of Bristol, R. I., seems to have escaped our notice, and we are glad to illustrate it, even a little late, from a specimen received from Charles H. Miller, of Providence, R. I.

The obverse has an Indian head in headdress not unlike that on the current \$10 and \$5 gold coins, below which is "King Philip." The inscription is: "Town of Bristol, Rhode Island, 1680-1930."



The reverse has the seal of Bristol, with the inscription: "250th Anniversary 1680 1930 Bristol, R. I., Sept. 6, 21, 24, 25, 26, 27."

The medals are struck in golden bronze, size of illustration. Mr. Miller says the entire issue was 2500 and they sold for 25c. Those in plush-lined boxes sold for 50c. About 100 were struck in silver, which sold for \$1.

WASHINGTON BI-CENTENNIAL COMMISSION MEDAL.

Recently a beautiful medal by Laura Gardin Frazer was designed for the Washington Bi-Centennial Commission, as I surmised for general sale to the public as a souvenir of this historic event. Upon corresponding with the commission one finds that this medal will only be used as an award for essays on Washington and similar activities by schools and colleges. It is stated that possibly later on it may be offered to the general public, and it is my suggestion that all collectors of medals, as well as the various numismatic societies, write to Mr. Sol Bloom, Director of the Washington Bi-Centennial Commission, Washington, D. C., urging that this medal be made available for collectors of medallie art and for the general public. If enough interest can be created perhaps this can be accomplished.

That brings me to another point, and that is the lack of cooperation of the mint officials with medal collectors. Recently medals were struck and presented to Admiral Byrd and to Thomas A. Edison. Both would have been very desirable as historic souvenirs, but Congress made no provision for their sale in bronze replicas to the public. It would seem to me that some connecting link should be made between Congress, the Treasury Department and the mint officials, so that when a bill of this kind is brought up, arrangement can be made for its sale to collectors. We did get the Lindbergh medal, but that seems to have been by special dispensation. Now that we have lost the use of the commemorative half dollars, there seems to be more than ever a field for medals to record our historic events for collectors and the general public.

A number of European mints issue nicely illustrated catalogues showing the medals they have for sale. Nothing of this kind is attempted by our mint officials, although there is no doubt it could be made to pay.

The small circular that can be secured from the Philadelphia Mint is entirely inadequate in arousing anyone's interest in medals, although most of the medals offered for sale are of historic value, attractive in appearance, and reasonable in price.

Concerted action on the part of collectors of medals is going to be necessary to secure this cooperation and I will welcome suggestions to this end. Whole-hearted cooperation has been secured from the Postoffice Department by stamp collectors, and if we urge hard enough in a diplomatic way, results should be forthcoming.

HARVEY L. HANSEN.

Piedmont, Cal., March 1, 1932.

THE CENTS OF 1857 AND 1864.

Collectors who are interested in the several series of the United States cents must have noticed that the various reference works on the coinage of this country give the total number of cents coined for the years 1857 and 1864, but do not mention the individual numbers of copper cents and nickel cents coined in 1857, nor the number of nickel cents and number of bronze cents coined in 1864.

In the Government Mint Reports the individual coinage figures are not given directly. But under the heading "Authority for U. S. Coinage" a table is given wherein it is stated that the total number of copper cents coined from 1793 to 1857 inclusive, is 156,288,744 pieces, and the number of nickel cents issued from 1857 to 1864 inclusive is 200,772,000 pieces. This figure does not include the 1856 nickel cent pattern, for these coins were not authorized until February 21, 1857, and, therefore, these patterns were not counted among the legal coins.

There is no valid reason to doubt the above figures, for, although the number of coins bearing each date may be in doubt, particularly for the early years, there is no reason to believe that Uncle Sam short-changed himself or his nephews. Therefore, his total count of copper and nickel cents must be considered as correct.

By adding up the number of copper cents issued each year from 1793 to 1856, inclusive, we get a total of 155,956,288 pieces, which leaves 332,456 copper cents for the year 1857 and 17,451,000 nickel cents coined during the same year. Similarly, we get the figures of 13,740,000 nickel cents coined during 1864 and 39,233,714 bronze cents for the same year.

It is interesting to note that the Hon. James Ross Snowden, who was director of the mint from 1853 to 1861, and therefore in a position to know, published in his work, "The Mint Manual of Coins of All Nations," the number of coins issued during each year from 1793 to 1795 inclusive. These were given by him as follows:

1793—112,212 cents and 31,934 half cents.

1794—1,758 dollars, 5,300 half dollars, some half-dime patterns, 918,521 cents and 81,600 half cents.

1795—184,013 dollars, 317,836 half dollars, 86,416 half dimes, 82,000 cents and 25,600 half cents.

While the totals of these figures do not agree with the figures as given in the United States Mint Reports for the years 1793-1795, they may serve as a guide to the relative scarcity of these coins.

BENJ. G. LOWENSTAM,
A. N. A. No. 3358.

433 Warren Street, Roxbury, Mass.

LIST OF COINS TAKEN IN KOHLER HOLD-UP.

The value of the coins, stamps and gold leaf taken by the bandits in the hold-up of the office of Rud Kohler, coin dealer, 70 Fifth avenue, New York City, on February 16, is considerably larger than was at first reported. The coins taken include the following: About 200 bust-type half dollars; 25 Liberty seated silver dollars; about 300 half dollars, ranging in date from 1794 to 1844 and 1871 to 1906, the latter in proof condition; a quantity of Spanish and South American proclamation pieces in silver, about 150 pieces; 2 quarter eagles and an English 1892 half sovereign of Victoria.

COINAGE FOR FEBRUARY, 1932.

Following are the number of pieces of the different denominations coined at the mints of the United States during February, 1932, as officially reported by the Bureau of the Mint, Washington, D. C.:

Gold—Eagles, 1,250,000.

Bronze—One Cent, 1,000,000.

Coinage other than United States:

Honduras—Silver, 300,000.

SILVER COMMEMORATIVE COINS MELTED AND SOLD.

Last month we published a list giving the number of pieces coined of each of the commemorative issues, with the date of the passage of the acts authorizing them. At the February meeting of the Western Pennsylvania Numismatic Society Mr. Marks presented a list of the silver commemorative coins, showing the number struck, the number melted and the number released for circulation. Mr. Marks' figures are given below. It should be understood that the coins classed as "melted" are those which were unsold by the various commissions and returned to the mint for melting purposes. Those classed as "released for circulation" indicate the number sold to the public.

Half Dollars	Melted.	Released for Circulation.
1892—Columbian		950,000
1893—Columbian	2,501,700	1,550,405
1915—Panama-Pacific, "S"	32,866	27,134
1918—Illinois		100,058
1920—Maine		50,028
1920—Pilgrim		200,112
1921—Pilgrim	80,000	20,053
1921—Missouri	29,600	15,400
1921—Missouri, "2*4"		5,000
1921—Alabama	5,000	59,038
1921—Alabama, "2x2"		6,006
1922—Grant	27,650	67,411
1922—Grant, star	750	4,250
1923—Monroe Doctrine, "S"		274,000
1924—Huguenot-Walloon	55,000	87,000
1925—Lexington-Concord	86	162,013
1925—Stone Mountain	1,165	2,313,544
1925—California, "S"	63,606	86,594
1925—Vancouver, "S"	35,034	14,966
1926—Sesqui-Centennial	859,408	141,120
1926—Oregon Trail	75	97,955
1926—Oregon Trail, "S"		100,000
1927—Bennington	11,892	28,142
1928—Captain Cook		10,000
Quarter Dollars		
1892—Columbian	15,809	24,214
Dollars		
1900—Lafayette		50,026

MR. ROSEN EXHIBITS COINS OF WASHINGTON'S TIME.

During the last two weeks of February, Wm. M. Rosen, president of the City State Bank of Ogden, Iowa, had on exhibition in his bank, displayed in a very attractive setting, a collection of coins and currency of the Washington period. The collection included a specimen of every date struck in the U. S. mint up to and including 1799, with the exception of four pieces. Coins and currency of the colonies were also included. Over 100 pieces were shown and all were well labeled. The Des Moines Register published a description of the exhibit, illustrated from a photograph taken in the bank. Mr. Rosen is a member of the A. N. A.

BABY BONDS OF OTHER DAYS AND WOODEN MONEY ON DISPLAY.

In connection with a display of the new baby bonds as part of the Chase Bank Collection of Moneys of the World there is also shown various baby bonds of earlier days, including U. S. Government Bond, \$20, series of 1898, and \$20 Postal Savings Bond, No. 1; also various baby bonds of several States, including \$5 bonds issued by the Government of Texas, 1837; State of Missouri, 1862; State of Louisiana, 1879, and the celebrated baby

bond of the State of Georgia, 1879, this latter being No. 1A and complete with all coupons.

The Government baby bonds just released are in size $6\frac{1}{2} \times 8\frac{1}{2}$ inches, including its two coupons. The face of the bonds are printed black and orange, seal and number in blue. The \$50 bond bears the portrait of Jefferson and has the back printed in brown. The \$100 bond shows the portrait of Jackson with the back in orange. The \$500 bond has the portrait of Washington, back printed in blue.

There is also on view in the Chase Bank's collection a set of the much-commented-on wooden money issued by the Chamber of Commerce of Tenino, Washington, to meet a circulating medium stringency caused by the closing of Tenino's only bank.

CORRECTION.

In the description of the design of the Finnish Medical Society anniversary medal published last month it was stated that the figure on the reverse was symbolical of Aesculapius "with the caduceus and its restorative power." This description was furnished by the makers of the medal. To correct this a letter has been received from Dr. Malcolm Storer, of Boston, an authority on medical medals, as follows:

"As a doctor I must enter a mild protest at the description of the medal of the Finnish Medical Society that Aesculapius holds a caduceus. Far from it. It is his ever-living staff and not a caduceus. The two-winged caduceus was the badge of Mercury, the god of the nimble-fingered (the god of thieves, in other words), with which the profession has nothing in common. This confusion of the staff of Aesculapius and the caduceus of Mercury is made far too often."

THE OREGON TRAIL HALF DOOLARS.

It is a well-known fact that Oregon Trail half dollars bearing the date of 1928 were struck for the Oregon Trail Memorial Association, Inc., but have not been released for sale to the public because the association wishes to dispose of its 1926 Oregon Trail half dollars before it sells its 1928 coins. I have a letter from Mae Baker Berryman, office secretary, dated January 28, 1931, in which it is stated that the association had 33,000 of the 1926 coins to dispose of. This may take a long time and make a lengthy wait before the 1928 coins are available.

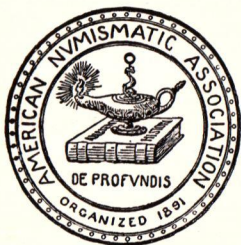
I believe it would be a good idea to appeal to all collectors of commemorative half dollars through THE NUMISMATIST to write to the association requesting the release of the 1928 half dollars to collectors and others interested in them.

PAUL H. GINTHER.

New Holland, Ill., March 7, 1932.

MR. MOORE GIVES TALKS IN HIS HOME TOWN.

Although Lewisburg, Ohio, has no local numismatic society to put on a display of Washingtoniana during February, Waldo C. Moore, of that town, did not allow the occasion to pass unnoticed. From a Lewisburg paper we learn that on February 8 Mr. Moore gave a talk on the life of Washington before the local lodge of Odd Fellows, with a display of Washington medals and paper money and other items connected with the first President. On February 1 he made an address on Washington before the Methodist Sunday-school, accompanied by a display, and on February 22 he also gave a talk on the same subject at a father-and-son banquet in the Lutheran church, at which a part of his collection was shown. Mr. Moore is cashier of the local bank, is an ex-President of the A. N. A., and for years has been active in stimulating interest in numismatics.



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 KOHLER, RUD.—New York—70 Fifth Ave., New York City.
 LARDNER, FOSTER—Rhode Island—West Barrington, R. I.
 LEES, JUDGE W. A. D.—Alberta, Saskatchewan, Manitoba—Drawer 138, Wetaskiwin, Alberta, Canada.
 LANGSTROTH, DR. L. A.—Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, Newfoundland—36 Sydney St., St. John, N. B., Canada.
 LAWLESS, ELMER—Illinois—2224 S. Spalding Ave., Chicago, Ill.
 MEHL, B. MAX—Texas, Arizona—P. O. Drawer 976, Fort Worth, Texas.
 MOELLERING, C. E.—Indiana—217-241 Murray St., Fort Wayne, Ind.
 PEREZ, GILBERT S.—Philippine Islands—Care Bureau of Education, Manila, P. I.
 RENAUD, L. A.—Quebec—747 Irene St., Montreal, Canada.
 REID, R. L.—British Columbia—525 Seymour St., Vancouver, B. C., Canada.
 SNOW, JOHN H.—Mississippi, Missouri, Arkansas—3741 Delmar Ave., St. Louis, Mo.
 SPEER, W. B.—Tennessee, Kentucky—734 Georgia Ave., Chattanooga, Tenn.
 TAPP, GAROLD W.—North Carolina, South Carolina, Virginia, West Virginia—P. O. Box 25, Greer, S. C.
 THORSON, N. T.—Nebraska, Kansas—306 South Nineteenth St., Omaha, Neb.
 WOOD, JOHN A.—Ontario—110 Belmont Ave., Hamilton, Ont., Canada.
 YODER, ALBERT H.—North Dakota, South Dakota, Montana—137 Reeves Ave., Grand Forks, N. D.
 ZUG, JOHN—Maryland, Delaware, District of Columbia—Bowie, Md.

American Numismatic Association

REPORT OF GENERAL SECRETARY.

New Members to be Admitted April 1, 1932.

- 4056 Ernst Kraus, 2035 75th Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
 4057 L. W. Rogers, Vicksburg, Mich.
 4058 Dr. John A. Snell, 1515 Gale Avenue, Nashville, Tenn.
 4059 Thad M. Kuharski, 1852 North Oakland Avenue, Milwaukee, Wis.
 4060 Mary McElroy, 1344 West 78th Street, Cleveland, Ohio.
 4061 Houssein Abd El-Salam, Haret el-Zanar, Cairo, Egypt.
 4062 F. G. Warner, 11 Maple Street, Norwalk, Ohio.
 4063 Alfred C. Noll, P. O. Box 162, Pittsburgh (12), Pa.
 4064 Eric Leavens, 5 Alston Court, Red Bank, N. J.
 4065 Henry M. Lane, 4 Crescent Terrace, South Norwalk, Conn.
 4066 James G. McKelvey, 526 School Street, Indiana, Pa.
 4067 D. W. Field, 705 East 9th Street, Muscatine, Iowa
 4068 James M. Wade, 937 Roosevelt Avenue, Union, Union Co., N. J.
 4069 William A. Wrightson, 443 Gifford Street, Syracuse, N. Y.
 4070 Elliot M. Donner, 729 Hunterdon Street, Newark, N. J.

Applications for Membership.

The following applications have been received prior to March 10, 1932. If no objections are received prior to May 1, 1932 the applicants will become members on that date and their names will be published in the May issue of THE NUMISMATIST.

APPLICANT	PROPOSED BY
W. H. Finley (United States Coins), R. F. D. 4, Batavia, Ohio	Howland Wood Harry T. Wilson
Mann U. Cox (United States and Foreign Coins), 1 Lewis Road, Winchester, Mass.	Harry T. Wilson J. Henri Ripstra
M. Joe Murphy (General), P. O. Box 405, Phoenix, Ariz.	Harry T. Wilson J. Henri Ripstra
Bert Handelsman (Half Dollars and Large Cents), 514 Case Street, Rochester, Pa.	C. E. Tharp Harry T. Wilson
Albert C. Murphy (Early American Coins), 827 Elm Street, New Haven, Conn.	George H. Blake Harry T. Wilson
William C. Barker (Half Cents to Dimes), 7213 North 20th Street, Philadelphia, Pa.	Elmer S. Sears Harry T. Wilson
Vernon J. Roufs (Ancient Roman and Greek), 2103 Bloomington Avenue, Minneapolis, Minn.	M. H. Bolender Moritz Wormser
Miss Jessie D. Newby (Roman Coins), 901 West 12th Street, Oklahoma City, Okla.	Edward T. Newell Sydney P. Noe
Karl M. Feldhausen (American and Foreign), Box T, Green Bay, Wis.	Wilbur J. Grover Harry T. Wilson
Charles N. Ehrhardt (Early American and U. S. Com- memorative), 1000 Hampshire Street, Quincy, Ill.	Harry T. Wilson J. Henri Ripstra
Carl A. Baden (Old American and German Coins), 109 Maple Avenue, Glenbrook, Conn.	Moritz Wormser Harry T. Wilson
Charles E. Stoaks (United States and General), 253 Spaulding Street, North, Tonawanda, N. Y.	Robert H. Lloyd Harry T. Wilson
Roy L. Lamont (General), Meriden, Iowa	N. L. Stiles Harry T. Wilson
J. M. Jones (United States Coins), Third Avenue, Dayton, Tenn.	Harry T. Wilson J. Henri Ripstra
Lester Archie Watts (United States and Foreign Coins), P. O. Box 8, Haverhill, Mass.	E. J. Langlois, Jr. Harry T. Wilson
John S. Stevenson (United States Coins), 722 Marsan Drive, Webster Groves, Mo.	Ambrose J. Brown Harry T. Wilson
Lawrence Sheard (Coins of Great Britain), International Products Corp., Arlington, S. I., N. Y.	Moritz Wormser Harry T. Wilson
Mr. Paul S. Cutter (Copper Cents), Hopewell, N. J.	Moritz Wormser Harry T. Wilson

Changes of Address.

E. U. Gregersen, from 128 Stickney Avenue, Wauwatosa, Wis., to 8000 Stickney Avenue, Wauwatosa, Wis.

Wycliffe G. Knight, from 1430 Myrtle Avenue, El Paso, Texas, to 707 North Oregon Street, El Paso, Texas.

Karl B. Diehl, from 257 North Sierra Street, Reno, Nev., to 526 North Sierra Street, Reno, Nev.

Lt. Comdr. Francis E. Locy, from Port au Prince, Haiti, to 936 Cornell Avenue, Drexel Hill, Pa.

C. Frank Bogert, from 85 Johnson Avenue, Newark, N. J., to 7 Whittier Street, East Orange, N. J.

Ronald E. Hart, from P. O. Box 303, St. Augustine, Fla., to 104 Cedar Street, St. Augustine, Fla.

M. Ansel Vogel, from 230 South Wells Street, Chicago, Ill., to 30 North LaSalle Street, Chicago, Ill.

John C. Stiles, from 14 Hutchins Place, Batavia, N. Y., to 25 Hamilton Street, Hamilton, N. Y.

Don Corrado Romano, from 25 Harrison Avenue, Springfield, Mass., to 2-A Maple Street, Springfield, Mass.

Henry B. Cary, from Route 19, St. Matthews, Ky., to Route 6, Louisville, Ky.

Louis Goodman, from 177 Post Street, San Francisco, Calif., to 1406 Union Street, San Francisco, Calif.

Neville Lee, from 81 Northampton Avenue, Berkeley, Calif., to 1933 El Dorado Avenue, Berkeley, Calif.

Arthur Gerish, from 4900 Belvidere Avenue, Detroit, Mich., to 3921 Brooklyn Avenue, Detroit, Mich.

George J. Budd, from 152 Taylor Street, Brooklyn, N. Y., to 2105 East 14th Street, Sheepshead Bay Station, Brooklyn, N. Y.

George Klipfel, from 22 Thatcher Avenue, Buffalo, N. Y., to 147 Leroy Street, Buffalo, N. Y.

HARRY T. WILSON, General Secretary.

DONATIONS TO A. N. A. LIBRARY.

The following donations have been received by the A. N. A. Library:

"A Register of Half Dollar Die Varieties," by M. L. Beistle. This was presented to the A. N. A. with the author's compliments.

"Kohler's Compendium" brought up to date was presented by Rud Kohler.

"Crosby's Early Coins of America" has been purchased by the Library Committee and will be available to the members as soon as some arrangement is made to properly bind it, as it is in the original form of 11 numbers.

CHARLES W. FOSTER, Librarian.

LIBRARY BOOK PURCHASE COMMITTEE APPOINTED.

A resolution adopted at the Cincinnati convention called for the appointment of a committee to purchase books for the Library. I have therefore appointed the following members: George A. Gillette, Rochester; Harley L. Freeman, Cleveland, and Charles W. Foster, Rochester.

GEORGE J. BAUER,
President A. N. A.

Rochester, N. Y., March 7, 1932.

OCCASIONALLY SUCH THINGS GET BY.

Six \$10 bills received here fresh from the Charlotte Federal Reserve Bank, although numbered serially with other bills in the same package, bore \$5 bill markings on one side. Bankers said they had never heard of such bills escaping Treasury experts before.—Press Dispatch from Wilmington, N. C., January 27.

Deaths

WILLIAM CHILTON MAVERICK.

After an illness of two years, William C. Maverick, of San Antonio, Texas, died on February 22 at the Gunter Hotel in that city, where he and Mrs. Maverick were spending the winter. He was 57 years old. The funeral took place on February 24, services being held in St. Mark's Episcopal Church. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Grace M. Maverick; two brothers and a sister. He had long been associated with the real estate business in San Antonio.

Mr. Maverick occupied a unique place in numismatics. It was part of his nature to be interested in coins, though he was not a collector and had no personal collection. Much of his time in late years had been spent in travel, including several visits to England and Japan, as well as different parts of the United States and Canada. In his travels he formed the acquaintance of collectors and coin dealers and was known to many members of the A. N. A.

One of Mr. Maverick's many philanthropic interests was the public library system. During the last fifteen years he had given an average of 250 books a year to the San Antonio Public Library. He had also given a number of books and a coin collection to the negro branch of the library.

THE NUMISMATIST is pleased to have numbered Mr. Maverick among its friends and subscribers. That he had an interest in the magazine is attested by the frequent receipt from him of newspaper clippings on numismatic subjects during his travels and while at home. One of his pleasures was having each volume of the magazine handsomely bound and presented to the San Antonio Library. This practice will be continued by Mrs. Maverick, as well as donations to the library and books and coins to its branch.

In his death numismatists and collectors have lost a good friend.

THE GOLDEN WEST IS CALLING.

The magic magnet that caused the forty-niners to endure untold travel hardships was gold and California. The magic magnet that is calling today to A. N. A. members is the same gold and California—not only gold coins, but silver and bronze. Added to this, the California boys are promising the greatest convention ever. Whether you go over the divide by rail, air or auto, just stop and think of the difference that the covered wagon transportation offered in contrast to our modern way. Don't stay at the grindstone too long. Take a good vacation and let the old slogan ring, "Westward Ho!" Let's go.

GEORGE J. BAUER,
President A. N. A.

Rochester, N. Y., March 7, 1932.

NOTICE TO SECRETARIES.

Clubs desiring the Library club bulletin service must make their wants known not later than April 15, when the final cost to each club will be calculated for the year. There will be only a few additional copies over the necessary number to supply each club, and the Librarian will not be able to supply clubs with the bulletin that he has not heard from on or before April 15. The reason for this ruling is that the cost to each club, in order to be fair, must be based on an equal division of the common cost of the bulletin, plus the postage for 12 bulletins, which varies according to the number of copies sent each club, as all clubs do not receive the same number of copies.

CHARLES W. FOSTER, Librarian.

A virtual gold-lined cavern has been discovered near Grass Valley, Cal., on Deer Creek. A party of miners broke into a cavern, which has yielded gold in large commercial quantities.

Meetings of Numismatic Societies and Clubs

DIRECTORY.

American Numismatic Association—Meets annually in convention. Harry T. Wilson, Secretary, 535 N. Sawyer Avenue, Chicago, Ill.

American Numismatic Society, New York City—Meets four times annually at its building, Broadway at 156th Street. Sydney P. Noe, Secretary.

Antiquarian and Numismatic Society of Montreal—Meets monthly at Chateau de Ramezay. Miss K. M. Cooper, Corresponding Secretary.

Atlanta Coin Club, Atlanta, Ga.—Meets first and third Thursdays in the Green Room of Hotel Grady, Atlanta. Neal P. Ponder, Secretary.

Beaver Valley Coin Club, Beaver Valley, Pa.—Meets fourth Friday each month at Grand Hotel, corner Eleventh street and Eighth avenue, Beaver Falls. Sherman L. Roney, Secretary and Treasurer, 2512 Seventh avenue, Beaver Falls.

Boston Numismatic Society, Boston, Mass.—Meets monthly. Shepard Pond, Secretary, 258 Boylston Street, Boston, Mass.

Buffalo Numismatic Association, Buffalo, N. Y.—Meets second and fourth Mondays at Central Y. M. C. A. Stuart M. Mosher, Secretary, 129 Elmwood Ave., Buffalo, N. Y.

California Coin Club, Los Angeles, Cal.—Meets first Tuesday evening of each month. Ray E. Ballinger, Secretary, 222 South Hill St., Los Angeles, Cal.

Chautauqua Coin, Stamp and Curio Club, Jamestown, N. Y.—Meets second and fourth Monday evenings of each month at Hotel Jamestown. C. B. Sampson, Secretary, R. F. D. 1, Jamestown, N. Y.

Chicago Coin Club, Chicago, Ill.—Meets first Wednesday of each month at the Atlantic Hotel. M. A. Powells, Secretary, 3118 W. 64th St., Chicago, Ill.

Cincinnati Numismatic Association—Meets second Monday of each month at 8 o'clock P. M., Starrett's Netherland Plaza Hotel, S. E. Cor. Fifth and Race Streets. William J. Schultz, Secretary, 419 First National Bank Building, Cincinnati, Ohio.

Columbus Numismatic Society, Columbus, Ohio—Meets second Monday evening of each month at the Neil House. George L. Andrews, Secretary, 68 East Dominion Blvd., Columbus, Ohio.

Dallas Coin Club, Dallas, Texas—Meets third Thursday night of each month. W. F. Schultz, Secretary, 1123 Oak Cliff Blvd., Dallas, Texas.

Detroit Coin Club, Detroit, Mich.—Meets first and third Thursdays at Detroit-Leland Hotel, Clifton A. Temple, Secretary, 1247 Coplin Ave., Detroit, Mich.

Greenville Numismatic Society, Greenville, S. C.—Charles H. Garrison, Secretary, Box 351, Greenville, S. C.

Long Island Numismatic Association, Brooklyn, N. Y.—Harold Schmidt, Secretary, 109-32 112th St., Richmond Hill, N. Y.

New York Numismatic Club, New York City—Meets second Friday of each month. F. C. C. Boyd, Secretary, 237 East 20th St., New York City.

Northampton Numismatic Society, Northampton, Mass.—Meets fourth Wednesday of each month in Y. M. C. A. Building. Elzear J. Paulhus, Secretary, Northampton, Mass.

Pacific Coast Numismatic Society, San Francisco, Cal.—Meets last Wednesday of each month. Harvey L. Hansen, Secretary, 123 Greenbank Ave., Piedmont, Cal.

Pittsburgh Coin Club, Pittsburgh, Pa.—Meets second Thursday at Room 201, Downtown Y. M. C. A. Building, Third Ave. and Wood St. A. M. Barker, Secretary-Treasurer, 150 Morewood Ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.

Rochester Numismatic Association, Rochester, N. Y.—Meets first and third Tuesday at Municipal Museum. Charles W. Foster, Secretary, 24 Astor Drive, Brighton Station, Rochester, N. Y.

St. Louis Numismatic Society, St. Louis, Mo.—Meets monthly at Washington University. T. E. Duncan, Secretary, Washington University, St. Louis, Mo.

Springfield Coin Club, Springfield, Mass.—Meets second Wednesday of each month. E. J. Bigelow, Secretary, 396 Bridge St., Northampton, Mass.

The Numismatic and Antiquarian Society of Philadelphia, Pa.—Meets six times a year. January, February, March, April, November and December. Ernest Spofford, Secretary, 1300 Locust Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

Washington Numismatic Society, Washington, D. C.—Meets second Tuesday at Fridays at Strong John Thomson School, Twelfth and L Sts. N. W. Frederick E. Hodge, Corresponding and Recording Secretary, 136 Bryant St. N. W., Washington, D. C.

Western Pennsylvania Numismatic Society—Meets the first Tuesday of every month at the Carnegie Institute of Pittsburgh. A. C. Gies, Secretary, 6260 Frankstown Avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Western Reserve Numismatic Club, Cleveland, Ohio—Meets second Wednesday of each month at the Allerton Hotel. Harley L. Freeman, Secretary, 1432 East 47th St., Cleveland, Ohio.

Youngstown Numismatic Club, Youngstown, Ohio—Meets second Friday of each month at the Home Saving Loan Co., basement, corner Federal and Chestnut Streets. Frank W. Schilling, Secretary, 317½ Grant St., Youngstown, Ohio.

CHICAGO COIN CLUB—157th meeting called to order by President R. E. Davis, March 2, at the Atlantic Hotel. Members present were as follows: Messrs Rosholm, Visco, Stolt, Unseittg, Jr., Vogel, Josephson, Dr. Skeen, H. A. Sternberg, Ronning, P. S. Stevens, Thornburgh, S. L. Schwartz, Cederlund, Strubinger, Budvitis, Dr. Luttenberger, Eversole, Powells, Valtman, A. F. Thomas, Hewitt, Fields, Lawless, Gilmore, Maliczek, Kralieski, S. Wilson, H. T. Wilson, Davis, Kaefer, Kiester, M. Sheldon, Grant, Miel-

carek, Dr. W. H. Sheldon, M. W. Schwartz, Ripstra, Mrs. T. Miller and Mrs. R. E. Davis. Present as visitors were Messrs. F. S. Spoerl, F. Pantrelli, Wm. G. Rayson, E. Horner and Miss M. Silhavy.

The applications for membership of Dr. W. H. Sheldon and M. R. Schwartz were accepted. Applications of Miss M. Silhavy and W. G. Rayson were read and held over for the following meeting.

An appeal by Librarian Rosholm was made for procuring books for the library and their circulation.

An interesting paper on the "Directors of the United States Mint," conveying some of their outstanding works, was read by Dr. Luttenberger, after which the paper was turned over to the club's archives.

The exhibit committee submitted its announcement of exhibits of coins for the next meeting, as follows: South America (north half), including Bolivia, Colombia, Ecuador, Guiana, Peru, Venezuela and United States 3 and 5 cent nickel coins.

Exhibits were as follows:

M. L. Ronning: Tyrol, 1692, broad crown, Leopold the Hogmouth; Tyrol, broad crown, 1693, Leopold the Hogmouth; Tyrol, crown, 1695, Sigismund; Tyrol, crown, Leopold the Hogmouth; Saxony, crown, 1547; Saxony, broad crown, John George, 1626, 1628, 1638; 8 large Chinese coins, 20, 50 and 100 cash.

R Cederlund: 26 different dollar-size coins from Spain, Mexico, Peru, Chile, Philippine Islands and Austria, chopmarked with Chinese characters; 16 different copper necessity (from Java) coins during the reign of Louis Napoleon, 1808-12; Java, Colony Batavia, three very fine one stiver, 1799-1800, struck in cannon metals mixed with lead; diverse counterstamped coins from Japan, Cambodia, Annam, Siam, Sounenep, Java, etc.

F. J. Valtman: 1818 quarter dollar; 1818 half dollar; 1829 half dollar; 1799 silver dollar, all sealed in non-inflammable celluloid, dustproof and safe from dampness.

Mr. Josephson: 14 China portrait dollars; 2 China portrait half dollars; 2 China 20-cent pieces; 2 China 10-cent pieces; set of China, Province of Szechuen 10 cash to 100 cash; 6-piece set of Mongolia, 10 mung to 1 tuhrik; 5 pieces Persia, $\frac{1}{2}$ kran to 5 kran; Siam, 6 pieces, $\frac{1}{8}$ att to 1 tical; Indo-China, 20 cents and 1 piastre; Hongkong, 6 pieces, 5 cents to 1 dollar; Japan, 14 pieces, 5 sen to 1 yen, including Trade dollar; India, 4 different rupees; Madras, fanam; Korea, 5 fun.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned, after which an auction sale was held, Mr. Josephson acting as auctioneer.

BRITISH NUMISMATIC SOCIETY—Ordinary meeting, Wednesday, January 27th, 1932, Mr. H. Alexander Parsons, Librarian, in the chair.

The chairman regretted the unavoidable absence of the President, Lieut.-Colonel H. W. Morrieson, through illness.

The chairman referred in feeling terms to the death of Mr. F. A. Walters, F.S.A., who had been a member of the society since 1910, and a Fellow of the Royal Numismatic Society since 1897. In the years 1920 and 1921 he was elected president of the British Numismatic Society. A very regular attendant at the meetings, he will be sadly missed by all those with whom he had been brought into close contact, and his opinion was often eagerly sought on abstruse points that came within his province. He will be best known by his papers on the Lancastrian and Yorkist series, covering the whole of the fifteenth century. A vote of condolence and sympathy with the family was passed in silence to his memory.

Mr. J. Kenney was elected a member.

Exhibitions were as follows:

By Mr. H. J. Dakers: A Scottish pattern milled half-merk of Charles I, by Briot, dated on the reverse 1636. The only specimen known to Burns was in the Pollexfen collection, which was bought by Messrs. Spink & Son at the Pollexfen sale. Unfortunately, the coin was not illustrated by Burns and its whereabouts is uncertain. Two specimens are known (besides this coin), one in the collection of the Society of Antiquaries of Scotland, Edinburgh, which is from the same dies as the specimen exhibited, and one in the Bearman collection from different dies.

By Mr. J. O. Manton: Sets of the William III country mintages of Bristol, Exeter, Chester, Norwich and York, consisting of half-crowns, shillings and

sixpences. The silver coins in circulation had become so much worn, or "sweated," that they only contained about half the proper quantity of silver, so that when the great recoinage of silver was commenced in 1696, country mints were established to facilitate this recoinage. Also a very fine crown of William III, dated 1695, with "OCTAVO" on the edge. This was of the first bust with curved breastplate.

By Mr. H. W. Taffs: The following early coins of the United States of America: Silver dollars, 1795, 1796, 1798, 1799 (2 varieties), 1800; half dollars, 1794, 1795 (2 varieties), 1806 (2 varieties); quarter dollar, 1807; dimes, 1798, 1807; half dimes, 1794, 1795, 1800, 1801; cents, 1793, 1793 (chain), 1794, 1795; half cents, 1794, 1795 (2 varieties), 1857 (proof); also a check, "Good for One City Fare," Int. Ry. Co., Buffalo.

Mr. T. W. Armitage contributed two short papers, one on "The Last Hiberno-Danish type," and another on "Local Barbarous Imitations of Roman Third Brass of the Fourth Century." In the first paper Mr. Armitage contended, *inter alia*, that the series was in use by the native Irish up to A. D. 1185, that at the time of the Conquest by Henry II the Irish bishops controlled the mint of Dublin and possibly one in Waterford, and that the so-called "branched hands" are monograms reading DYFL for Dublin and not hands at all. The meeting, however, was not in agreement with these suggestions.

In his second paper Mr. Armitage referred to two coins which had come to light in excavations for the Grantham waterworks at Saltersford. The first coin was a small bronze of Constantine overstruck in a barbarous manner with the common type of Magnentius, two Victories holding a wreath inscribed VOT, etc. Mr. Armitage stated that the inference was that locally the authority of Rome was rejected and that the people appertained to the faction of Magnentius, which led later to the persecution by Paulus and the untimely death of Martinus the pro-prefect.

The second coin was a small bronze of Constans of the two victories type overstruck with a barbarous FEL TEMP REPARATIO. Here again the inference was that this was an isolation if not a separation from Rome, or a money of necessity of an enhanced value. One thing was certain, that it required to be overstruck in order to make its purpose.

Mr. H. E. Jacobs contributed a few notes on a rare Newport token issued by John Thornton, the attribution of which to any particular county had hitherto been very doubtful. The token had been variously assigned to Shropshire, Hants, Essex and Bucks. Mr. Jacobs had, however, with much care collected evidence, which he quotes, and which almost certainly assigns this token to Newport Pond in Essex.

As these notes of collated evidence which definitely allocate tokens of doubtful attribution to a particular county are most valuable, it is proposed to print this contribution in full in the next volume of the Society's Journal.

NEW YORK NUMISMATIC CLUB—278th meeting, February 12th, Howland Wood, president, presiding. Present: Messrs. Barnet, Blake, Boyd, Brown, Butler, L. V. Case, Connor, Deas, Frohlich, Holzman, Kraus, Kusterer, Marx, Morris, Newell, Smith, Stein, Swanson, Tait and Zerbe, and as guest, A. C. Murphy.

The topic for the evening was "Washington in Numismatics." Exhibits were as follows:

Elliott Smith: A very excellent collection containing 49 pieces of Washington coins and medals, in superb condition.

Farran Zerbe: Recent acquisitions: Louisiana baby bond \$5, 1879, note size with coupons; \$5 National Park Bank, first charter period; one pound Barclay's Bank for Southwest Africa, recent issue, printed in brilliant colors; various early note proofs; pair of dies for two reales, 1787, Mexico City Mint; a Stone Mountain half dollar, countermarked on reverse 197 TENN, said to be one of a lot similarly countermarked but with different numbers; a Washington Bi-Centennial commemorative medal.

L. V. Case: An excellent collection of Washington medals, 44 pieces.

Jacob Marx: Bulgaria, Ferdinand I, 100 leva, 1894; Albania, Ahmet Zogu, President, 100 francs, 1926; Spain, Ferdinand and Isabella, Seville double ducat; George III, Harz gold ducat, 1797; Germany, ducat of Bavaria, Ludwig I, 1846; England, Queen Anna, half guinea, 1708; Switzerland, Berne, double doubloon, 1797; Monaco, Albert I, 100 francs, 1896, struck at

Paris; Northwest India, Kushan kings, Hunishka, reverse, sun god; Northern India, Gupta dynasty, Jaundragupta, gold coin of the archer type.

J. Guttag: A selection of Washington coins and medals from his collection, 25 pieces.

F. C. C. Boyd: A collection of 15 Washington silk badges and 10 Washington medals; first mail envelope with the new Washington Bi-Centennial stamps, denominations $\frac{1}{2}$ c. to 10c.

The secretary reported the death of our esteemed Life Member and past President, Dr. D. W. Valentine. The Club was represented at the funeral services by Messrs. Howland Wood, George H. Blake and F. C. C. Boyd.

The membership committee reported favorably on the applications of Ernest Kraus, 2035 75th St., Brooklyn, N. Y., and John D. Leggett, Jr., 148 Arnold St., New Brighton, Staten Island. They were elected unanimously.

The executive committee reported as the topic for the March meeting an address by F. William Sinclair on the Solomon Islands and exhibits to be made of the aboriginal coins of the South Sea Islands. The report was adopted.

It was moved by Mr. Boyd and seconded by Mr. Deas that, in view of the fact that the secretary did not forward the resolution indorsing the efforts made by Nelson T. Thorsen, Chairman of the A. N. A., to influence the Treasury Department to facilitate the distribution and sale of current coins, that this resolution be reconsidered. After a general discussion on this resolution it was the consensus of opinion that, in view of the fact that the Treasury Department will execute orders to numismatists at face value plus postage for a maximum of two specimens of each denomination, it was unnecessary for the club to take action in the matter. It was moved and carried that the resolution of January 8th in regard to this matter be laid upon the table.

The publication committee reported as follows:

"Current publications on view include The Numismatist, Hobbies, Spink's Circular and recent issue of Gas Logic, Scoville Standard and Collier's Weekly, with articles on numismatics. Also, sales catalogues by Elder, Mehl (2), Bolender, Morgenthau, DuBose, Holmberg, Schulman, Santamaria and Cahn. Also, Numismatic Notes and Monographs No. 51; a brief history of the Bureau of Engraving and Printing; a privately printed booklet that is a tribute to William Rollinson, an engraver of some of the early bank notes issued in this country and Canada; a new Frederick J. Haskin publication, Everybody's Coin Book, and an advertising calendar for 1933, with illustrations and information regarding coins and currency, and various clippings relating to news notes of the month."

Each of the members was presented with a very fine Washington Bi-Centennial souvenir, a standard with an American flag, the gift of our fellow member, Jacob Marx. A rising vote of thanks was extended to Mr. Marx for his appropriate gift.

It was regularly moved, seconded and carried that the following resolution be spread upon the minutes and a copy sent to the family of Dr. D. W. Valentine:

"Whereas, In the death of our dear fellow member, Dr. Daniel W. Valentine, the New York Numismatic Club loses an esteemed Honorary Member, one who served twice as its President; and

"Whereas, Many of the members of this Club lose a true and loyal friend, one whose integrity and character was an example to his fellow-men; be it

"Resolved, That the club spread upon the minutes of this meeting this expression of our deep regret and loss, and that the sympathy of the Club be extended to Mrs. Valentine and a copy of this resolution sent her."

The President welcomed our new members, Mr. Kraus and Mr. Leggett; our guest, Mr. A. C. Murphy, and also greeted our member Mr. Connor, who has been absent at the Club meetings for the past year.

CALIFORNIA COIN CLUB—49th meeting, held in Conference Room No. 7, Biltmore Hotel, March 1. The meeting was called to order by President Kennedy. Present: Mrs. McCormick, Mrs. Evans, Miss Bacon, Messrs. Ballinger, Bianchi, Carey, Evans, Galitzki, Haas, Harbeck, Hazelton, Hitchcock, Herrling, Hertzog, Hopkins, Johns, Jorgensen, Kean, Kirkpatrick, Larson, Kenneth Lee, Mansbach, Palmer, Swift and Van Rossem. Visitors,

Mrs. Bianchi, Mrs. K. Lee, W. E. May, C. H. Marker, F. A. Norton and C. A. Windau.

Emilio A. Bianchi was elected to club membership. Carl M. Flippen was proposed for membership by President Kennedy. The resignation of O. B. Carlsen having been received, Mr. Carey volunteered to contact Mr. Carlsen for the purpose of rescinding same.

A vote of thanks was extended to Mrs. McCormick for the privilege the club has enjoyed during the past months of meeting in her home.

The special business of the evening was the planning and organization of committees in connection with the A. N. A. Convention. Mr. Kennedy announced that it has been definitely settled that the convention will be from August 20 to August 26 inclusive, 1932, the meetings to be at the Biltmore Hotel, and that trips to Catalina Island and to one of the photoplay studios are assured as a portion of the entertainment. Committees were appointed to attend to registration, coupon-book sales, coin valuation, C. C. C. membership, A. N. A. membership, ladies, radio broadcasting, auction, exhibits, entertainment, advertising, badge, banquet and joint committee of arrangements. Mr. Van Rossem was appointed official photographer. Mr. Kean advised that the auction be held the evening of August 24. Miss Bacon was appointed treasurer pro tem, to act during the anticipated absence of Dr. Harbeck from the city.

Mr. Hazelton announced that he has made tentative arrangements to secure the traveling exhibit of the American Numismatic Society for the convention, and that the exhibit can be placed in other locations prior to the convention.

Dr. Swift announced that through his efforts a magnolia tree has been planted in the Washington Grove at Elysian Park, bearing the plate and name of the California Coin Club.

Dr. Harbeck exhibited a series of Roman first bronzes from Augustus to Constantine the Great.

ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION—458th meeting, February 16, President Lindboe in the chair. Present: Messrs. Kaufman, Lange, Plumb, Babin, Lozier, Woodgate, Woodbury, Becker, Sunday, Sloane, Leiss, Horner, Amberg, G. J. Bauer, Kolb, Lewis, Gillette, French, Parker, Reddick and Foster.

A communication was read from Mr. Schug thanking the members for their interest in his recovery and for the flowers.

Mr. Gillette reported the acquisition of two new books for the library, Wismer's New York Paper Money and Mehl's Reprint of Andrews, which was presented with Mr. Mehl's compliments. The secretary was instructed to thank Mr. Mehl.

After the questions were discussed Mr. Bauer gave an interesting talk on Washington portraits on coins and exhibited early coins, tokens and medals of Washington, mostly of the time 1783-1792, in extraordinary condition.

Mr. Gillette also exhibited the following medals to help illustrate Mr. Bauer's talk: Manly medal, Westwood medal, Wyon medal, Halliday, Sansome, Voltaire, Hero of Freedom; Peace Medal 1789; copy of obverse and reverse of Washington half dollar; Mint medal, Washington, Kosciusko and Lafayette; Crystal Palace.

The usual auction was conducted by Mr. Reddick.

ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION—459th meeting, March 1, President Lindboe presiding. Present: Messrs. Amberg, Lange, Kaufman, Moore, Plumb, Babin, Horner, Haringx, Sunday, Liess, Sloane, Kolb, Edward Bauer, Becker, Gillette, Woodbury, Potter, C. J. Bauer, Reddick and Foster.

The secretary read an article from Harper's Magazine for 1860 about the Granby Copper, which was illustrated on the meeting notice. The article was brought in by Mr. Woodgate.

After the questions were discussed, which were nearly all on Mr. Bauer's talk at the previous meeting, President Lindboe gave an interesting talk on the chronology of different races, explaining the methods used by the Chinese, Greeks, etc., to calculate and record time.

Mr. Woodbury exhibited the following pieces which he recently acquired: \$5 gold of Norris, Grieg & Norris, 1849, the first coin to be struck in Cali-

fornia; \$10 gold, Augustus Humbert, 1852; \$2½ regular U. S. issue, 1852, small 2; 1792 half disme, very fine.

The usual auction was conducted by Mr. Sunday.

BUFFALO NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION—111th meeting, February 22. President Lloyd in the chair. Members present: Messrs. Gilroy, Lloyd, Spaeth, Hopkins, Miller, Mosher, Pecora, Draudt, Curry and Whitall. Visitors, Messrs. Taylor, Spawn, Bishop and Stoaks.

Correspondence was read from Mr. Foster, Librarian of the A. N. A., which outlined a proposal to supply clubs affiliated with the A. N. A. a monthly bulletin service of programs and questionnaires. A motion was carried that we subscribe to this service and that the secretary be instructed to order 25 copies of each issue.

Mr. Mosher, Lloyd and Draudt reported on the exhibit at Hengerer's and voiced approval for the manner in which the store officials had cooperated in arranging the exhibits.

Applications for membership by Jack Bishop and Jesse Taylor were approved by the Board of Governors and they were elected to membership. President Lloyd welcomed these two new members, who responded.

The application of Mr. Stoaks was received and placed in the hands of the membership committee for approval.

Mr. Lloyd donated to the club collection a Buffalo Auto Club Show button of 1919.

Next on the program was a lunch of Washington pie and coffee generously furnished by Mr. Walter Spaeth. A vote of thanks was extended to Mr. Spaeth for his kindness.

At the conclusion of the regular business an auction was held.

The following exhibits were made:

Mr. Hopkins: English military and U. S. Civil War Cents.

Mr. Lloyd: Early Spanish reales and two-reales.

Mr. Draudt: U. S. large copper cents of 1803 and 1804 in fine condition.

BUFFALO NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION—112th meeting, March 14th, President Lloyd in the chair. Members present: Messrs. Becker, Gilroy, Lloyd, Spaeth, Hopkins, Girmann, Miller, Mosher, Curry, Whitall, Bishop and Taylor. Visitor, Mr. Stoaks.

Correspondence was read from the Central Y. M. C. A., the Buffalo Centennial Committee and George J. Bauer.

A motion was carried that the balance of the club subscription to the Y. M. C. A. maintenance be paid.

The first questionnaire issued by Mr. Foster, the A. N. A. Librarian, was distributed, and it proved to be of real interest.

After the regular business President Lloyd conducted an auction, at which a considerable number of coins were disposed.

The exhibits were as follows:

Mr. Taylor: Tetradrachm of Athens in fine condition; widow's mite.

Mr. Mosher: U. S. 20-cent piece of 1876; U. S. silver 3-cent piece of 1861, uncirculated.

Mr. Lloyd: Indian head cents and Lincoln head from 1900 to date, mint condition.

Mr. Bishop: Several hundred foreign copper and nickel coins, fine to uncirculated.

PITTSBURGH COIN CLUB—February 11th. Present: Messrs. Hunt, Morris, Kyle, Dunnigan, McIlrath, Speer, Gibbs, H. Gibbs, Jr., Wilkens and Barker. The following were present as visitors: A. C. Noll, G. Peat and H. L. Pruger. Mr. Hunt, the president, in the chair.

The secretary showed samples of the bookbinding that has been completed for the club's library.

The following exhibits were shown:

Mr. Kyle: Spanish eight-real piece, also New Jersey cents.

Mr. Hunt: Shilling of Queen Elizabeth for Ireland, and Dorchester farthing.

Mr. Barker: Four modern Greek coins and English shilling of William III.

Mr. H. G. Gibbs: Old New York newspaper containing an account of the death of President Lincoln.

Mr. H. D. Gibbs: Spanish 50-real piece in silver; four thaler of Brunswick-Luneburg, 1647; triple crown of Naples, 1733; Oxford half pound, silver, 1642; Mexican soap money; Russian three rubles in platinum, 1828; triple thaler of Tyrol, 1604; twelve varieties of small gold and silver coins of Nepaul; Salzburg triple klippe thaler, 1624; English pattern proof half-penny of 1799 with crowned head, also halfpenny of 1797.

BOSTON NUMISMATIC SOCIETY—February 29. The society met and dined at the Boston City Club. Present: Vice-President Davis in the chair, also Messrs. Boyle, Stafford, Faelten, Wheeler, Childs, A. Brown, Storer, Tilden, Lowenstam and Pond. As a guest of Mr. Brown, there was also present Mr. Charles E. Broughton, of Peabody.

Richard Blaney, 82 Mount Vernon street, Boston, Mass., was elected to membership.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned and the rest of the evening was devoted to the examination and discussion of an unusually interesting exhibit of medals and tokens pertaining to Washington.

Exhibits were as follows:

Mr. Davis: A magnificent collection of over 500 pieces, all relating to Washington and including silver, bronze and white metal specimens of the Bolen medal with reverse carrying quotation from Washington's letter to Hamilton; the Evacuation of Boston medal in silver; a handsome silver medal of the Lancaster County Agricultural and Mechanical Society, 1858, with bust of Washington facing right; bronze medal, 1883, commemorating the centennial of the Evacuation of New York City by the British and showing on the obverse the Statue of Washington in Wall street; large cast bronze medal on the centennial of the first inauguration of Washington in New York in 1789.

Mr. Boyle: Eleven varieties of Washington cents; store card, "Atwood's Railroad Hotel, 243 Bowery," with equestrian statue of Washington on obverse.

Mr. Stafford: Large bronze medal, obverse, bust of Washington, $\frac{3}{4}$ face; reverse, "Sons of the American Revolution, 36th Annual Congress of the National Society 1775-1925, Swampscott, Mass. Compliments of the Massachusetts State Society"; bronze restrike of the Evacuation of Boston medal; token halfpenny, 1795, of Clark, Harris and Wormwood, of London, showing bust of Washington on obverse; token halfpenny, 1793, with obverse bust of Washington, reverse, ship under sail; also a number of Washington cents.

Dr. Storer: A charming ivory plaque of Washington showing his bust facing in high relief, size about $3\frac{1}{2}$ inches by $2\frac{1}{2}$ inches, oval, enclosed in a delicate silver laurel wreath. This is believed to date from the early part of the last century. He also showed the very rare Eccleston Washington medal and the Manly Washington medal, the latter in brass and excessively rare in this metal; also two large satirical German silver medals dedicated, respectively, to Winston Churchill and Arthur Balfour.

YOUNGSTOWN NUMISMATIC CLUB—51st meeting, February 12. Those present were President Davis, Messrs. Rice, Officer, Schilling, Zimmer, Bernstein, James and Cardwell. Visitor, Mr. Kennedy.

Joseph Zimmer was chosen curator for this year.

A vote of thanks was extended to the committee which served so well and arranged for the banquet.

George J. Bauer and T. James Clarke were given honorary membership for their services donated to the club.

The topic of the evening was questions sent to the club through the Library of the A. N. A. This method will make club meetings entertaining.

Washington displays were shown by Messrs. Officer and Zimmer. A Lincoln display was shown by Mr. Schilling.

YOUNGSTOWN NUMISMATIC CLUB—52d monthly meeting, March 11, called to order by Vice-President George Officer. Those present were: Messrs. S. Kabealo, C. Kabealo, Officer, Rice, Cardwell, Zimmer and Schilling. Visitor, Mr. Zimmer, Jr.

Mr. Officer was chosen a committee of one on entertainment.

The topic of the evening was answers to a numismatic questionnaire. Interesting information was brought to light by this discussion.

DETROIT COIN CLUB—185th meeting, February 4. Members present: Messrs. Bradlin, Brisley, Curto, Dodd, Duff, Dworkowski, Farnham, Fulton, Heath, Hubel, M. Hutchinson, Noyes, Rapp, Snyder, Stehfest and Temple. Visitor, Mr. Kling. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mr. Charles Brisley.

Application for membership was received from Mr. Henry Kling, Jr.

The banquet committee reported further and it was voted that the annual banquet be held February 18th at the Detroit-Leland Hotel.

The amendment committee reported, but owing to the absence of the chairman it will report further at the next meeting.

The exhibition committee reported that an exhibit of coins from the cabinet of the Detroit Coin Club are now on display in the museum of the Detroit Historical Society.

A motion was made and passed that the assistant secretary be responsible for the safe keeping of articles in the library and coin cabinet of the Detroit Coin Club.

Meeting adjourned at 9.45 P. M., after which a fine auction was held.

Donation: Mr Dworkowski: Grant commemorative gold dollar with star.

Exhibit: Mr. Dworkowski: 70 pieces of Polish paper money of both war issues and Government issues. Also three one-thaler bills dated 1816.

DETROIT COIN CLUB—186th meeting, February 18. Members present: Messrs. Bott, Bradlin, Brisley, Curto, Duff, Dworkowski, Farnham, Fratcher, Grinnell, Heath, Hubel, Hudson, A. Hutchinson, M. Hutchinson, Kling, Powell, Rapp, Sheehy, Stehfest and Temple.

The annual banquet preceded the regular meeting and the choice foods that were served drew forth praise from all present. During the banquet a telegram expressing best wishes for an enjoyable evening was received from Mr. George Bauer, President of the American Numismatic Association, and a member of the Detroit Coin Club. After the banquet the meeting was called to order by the president, Mr. Charles Brisley.

A communication was read from Mr. Foster, Librarian of the American Numismatic Association, regarding a monthly club bulletin. It was moved and passed that the secretary order one copy of the club bulletin for a period of one year, and at the same time ascertain the cost of 25 copies per month.

A discussion was held regarding an amendment to the constitution, and a letter from Mr. Fulton was read regarding the amendment, but owing to the illness of Mr. Hoare, the chairman of the committee, it was decided to postpone the report.

A general discussion was held regarding the cost of insurance for coins on exhibit. The matter was postponed indefinitely.

An invitation to visit the museum of the Detroit Historical Society was received from Mr. Hampton, the Curator. It was decided that the next meeting adjourn early so that the club might visit the museum in a body.

Mr. Dworkowski told of his efforts to have bank employes attend the club meetings. It was decided that the meeting of March 17th be of special interest to bank employees. Mr. Dworkowski will arrange to have the bank employes notified and will also write a paper to be read at the meeting.

Exhibits were as follows:

Mr. Dworkowski: Several fine Washington items, including Washington cent, 1791, and an original Washington half dollar in copper, dies by Getz.

Mr. Brisley: Fifty Washington medals in silver, copper, white metal and wood, including many Masonic medals of Washington.

WESTERN RESERVE NUMISMATIC CLUB—133rd meeting, March 9. President Bickford was in the chair. The following members were present: Messrs. Aldrich, Bickford, Budde, Doyle, Freeman, Gregg, Haskovec, Hirsch, Joers, King, Klaus, Molnar, Reidenbach, Sargis, Sawicki, Sikorski, Stead, McElroy and Messrs. William Boyd, Albert Gutentag, E. H. Windau, Richard Precker and Peter Von Schneeweisz as guests.

Committee reports were made and the following names were proposed for membership: William J. Boyd, E. H. Windau, Richard Precker and Peter R. Von Schneeweisz.

Judge Sawicki, who had been appointed a committee of one to look up City Ordinance No. 2690-F, read a copy of the ordinance as it applied to the

buying and selling of coins in the City of Cleveland, and made his recommendations regarding it. The club voted to go on record as suggesting an amendment to the ordinance as per the suggestions of the committee and the secretary was instructed, in conjunction with Judge Sawicki, to write to the City Law Department asking that the matter be brought before the City Council and urging the passage of the amendment as prepared by our club.

Copies of the Library Bulletin No. 1 were distributed, to be answered and returned by next meeting.

The subject of classification of coins was brought up and it was voted to adopt the classification as proposed by Mr. Bickford in all future auctions of the club. The subject of newspaper publicity was brought up, but was tabled for some later meeting.

The entertainment committee submitted as a memory test, sixteen questions pertaining to the Lincoln cent. Our President proved himself the most observing by answering twelve correctly and received a drawing, titled, "The Numismatist," presented by Mr. King.

Exhibits were as follows:

Judge Sawicki: Three Roman medals, two in silver and one in copper.

Mr. Bickford: A complete set of commemorative half dollars, dollar, and \$2½ gold pieces.

Mr. Sikorski: Twenty-seven uncirculated commemorative half dollars and thirteen proof half dollars in a specially made leather case.

Mr. Aldrich: A complete set of proof coins of the year 1900.

The meeting was followed by an auction.

PITTSBURGH COIN CLUB—March 10th. Present: Messrs. Hunt, Sallach, Gibbs, Dunnigan, Morris, H. Gibbs, Jr., and Barker. The following were present as visitors: H. L. Pruger, A. C. Shears and W. G. Keitzer.

A communication was read from the Librarian of the A. N. A., in reference to the proposed question service. It was decided that this club would subscribe to these bulletins as issued.

Applications for membership were received from Messrs. Pruger, Shears and Keitzer.

At the termination of the regular business session the following exhibits were shown:

Mr. Pruger: U. S. Proof dollars, halves and quarters of 1896, 1897 and 1898, also half dime of 1860.

Mr. Hunt: England, Henry VIII, full-face shilling; Charles I, half crown for Scotland, also fourpence of 1646, Welsh mint; Elizabeth, half crown of 1601; also eight varieties of the sixpence and five varieties of the shilling.

Mr. Sallach: England, four varieties of the sovereigns of Queen Victoria; sovereigns and half sovereigns of Edward VII and George V; Peru, one libra and half libra, both in gold; Russia, five rubles in gold; also a gold twenty peso piece of Mexico.

Mr. Dunnigan: U. S. dollar of 1799, also half dollar of 1807 with mint lustre.

Mr. Gibbs: U. S. half dollars, 1794-1897, in proof and uncirculated condition; sixty Portuguese colonial coins in tin and copper for Goa, Daman, Bassein, Chaul and Port Delgado; Papal set of 1930, also gold ten-ducat piece of Czecho-Slovakia.

WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA NUMISMATIC SOCIETY—March 1st. In the absence of Mr. Marlier, who was reported ill, Vice-President Mr. Marks in the chair. Members present were Messrs. Marks, Locker, Manning, Laughlin, Piper, Gaede and Sterret. Mr. Pruger was an interested visitor. Mr. Gies, our secretary, and Mr. McCune, Jr., our newest member, were reported on the sick list.

A motion was carried that the owner of any coin to be sold at auction in the society's meeting hall (in order to realize a satisfactory price) may bid in his own coin.

Exhibits were as follows:

Mr. Locker: The extremely rare 10c. Second Issue, Valentine No. 33, fractional currency, reverse 063, green back, only 9 known and rarer than the Allison-New-Spinner note, new and crisp; 25c. Third Issue, Valentine No. 41E, green back, heavy fibre; 25c. Third Issue, Valentine No. 41, green

back, Fessenden, solid disk and heavy fibre; 50c. Second Issue, Valentine No. 37, carmine reverse, 0-1-18-63; 50c. Third Issue, Valentine No. 48D, red back, Justice note, A-2-6-5 on reverse. The above are all rare notes.

Mr. Marks: Castorland half dollar in copper on extremely thin planchet; 1811 half dollar, silver, with punctuated date.

Mr. Manning: 1863 S mint silver half dollar, uncirculated; 1809 over 6 half dollar and 1806 over 5 half dollar; 1825 cent, uncirculated; 1797 half dime, extremely fine condition, rare.

Mr. Laughlin: International Harvester Co. Centennial bronze medal, 1831-1931, centennial of the reaper, Cyrus Hall McCormick

Mr. Gaede: 1738 4 schilling silver, Free City of Hamburg; 1813 British Guiana, 1 stiver, a large and thick copper piece, Essequibo and Demarary; 1849 Pope Pius IX, Papal State 2 baiochi, copper; 1835, quarter anna, copper, East India Co.; Japan 50 yen, silver; China, 20c. nickel, Kwang-Tung province, and 5 sen of Shanghai; 1792 France, Louis XVI, 12 denier copper piece; 1844 Argentine, Buenos Aires, 2 reals, copper.

CHAUTAUQUA COIN, STAMP AND CURIO CLUB—Our regular meeting of February 22 was well attended, there being twenty-five members present. The program of the evening consisted entirely of displays and papers pertaining to the life and times of George Washington.

Unfortunately, Mr. T. James Clarke was out of town and some of our other important members were unable to display. Though the meeting was a great success, the display of coins and medals was far from what it would have been under normal conditions.

Vice-President John F. Jones spoke interestingly about the old United States coin, the Disme, and of the English coins bearing Washington's bust. Mr. Jones also displayed a tray of early Washington copper coins in uncirculated and proof condition, also Civil War tokens and medals with the portrait of Washington, commemorating various historical events. Of especial interest was a counterstamped 1823 cent with the heads of Washington and Lafayette upon opposite sides, issued for the celebration in 1824 of Lafayette's last visit at Philadelphia. Mr. Jones also showed a medal of General Lafayette issued on that same occasion.

CHAUTAUQUA COIN, STAMP AND CURIO CLUB—Forty-fifth regular meeting, March 14th, with twenty members present. The meeting took the form of a display of Irish coins in honor of St. Patrick's Day.

President Wm. E. Trantum displayed a silver penny of John I of England, 1199-1216, from the Dublin mint, also six pieces of Irish gun money, and about ten coins of various rulers of England for Ireland, a set of coins of the Irish Free State, also a ten-shilling bill of the same.

Mr. T. James Clarke displayed fifty varieties of sixpence, 158 varieties of shillings, 154 varieties of half crowns and 56 varieties of crowns—a total of 418 pieces of gun money, and four pieces in silver of the same series. The large crown in silver is one of only two pieces known in this country. This collection is mostly in choice condition and is probably the best private collection on this side of the Atlantic.

Mr. Clarke also displayed a tray of the Wood coinage, 1722-1724, which included the rare patterns with rocks back of Hibernia, mostly in red, uncirculated condition. Another tray displayed early Rosa Americana of different values and dates, beside other early United States colonials.

P. C. N. S. WASHINGTON BI-CENTENNIAL EXHIBIT.

The 198th meeting of the Pacific Coast Numismatic Society on February 24th, 1932, was devoted to an exhibit of Washington material. The assembly hall of the San Francisco Y. M. C. A. was decorated with flags and pictures of Washington, altogether a very attractive setting. Before 8 o'clock several hundred people sat down and were welcomed by President Wyman and Mr. Wernstrom, chairman of the committee.

Talks were then made on the following subjects: "Washington in Numismatics," by Arthur C. Wyman; "Washington and Early Finances," by Harvey L. Hansen; "Washington in Philately," by Wm. G. Wilson. After the talks,

which were very well received, the exhibit was thrown open to the visitors and caused much favorable comment. The outstanding exhibit was undoubtedly Mr. Wernstrom's, as he possesses an almost Zerbeian instinct in displaying his numismatic material to the best advantage. His exhibit consisted of paper money featuring Washington, on uncurrent issues, on legal currency, on currencies of the North and South during the Civil War, on fractional currency, encased postage stamps, and the Bi-Centennial issue of the U. S. postage stamps. It made a very representative exhibit and caused much favorable comment.

Roy Hill exhibited Washington stamps, maps of Washington's travels and pictures.

H. L. Hill: Tokens and medals, also a picture featuring the death of Washington.

Louis Goodman: A steel engraving of Washington on horseback.

Harvey L. Hansen: Medals featuring Washington, especially those issued by the U. S. Mint.

William Kraft: An exceedingly interesting exhibit of coins featuring the contemporaries of Washington.

Hugo Goldsmith: Washington medals and stamps.

Wm. G. Wilson's exhibit of Washington stamps consisted of over fifty different stamps from the United States, Confederate States, Brazil and France, bearing pictures of George and Martha Washington. In addition to these several specimens of the 5c. New York postmaster's stamp issued in 1845 were shown, including two on covers. The 10c. 1847 issue was represented by the die proof and the reprint, and a cover, as well as several used specimens. The 3c and 10c. 1851 stamps were in pairs and strips, in addition to many singles, the 10c. stamps showing several types. The 3c. and 10c. premier graveures of August, 1861, and the 3c grilled all over were other choice items. The 5c. errors in blocks of the 2c. 1917 stamps were items of interest.

The committee consisted of Ernest R. Wernstrom, chairman; Harvey L. Hansen, Lloyd Sherow, Roy Hill and John M. Simpson. Much credit is due to this committee, and especially to its chairman, for a successful and interesting exhibit in connection with the Bi-Centennial celebration.

HARVEY L. HANSEN.

SASKATCHEWAN HAS "CHEESE" MONEY.

Currency backed by cheese instead of gold reserves has proved a successful financial experiment in the Canadian town of Leroy, Saskatchewan, says a press dispatch from Washington. Dispatches from Winnipeg to the Commerce Department told how farmer cooperatives of Leroy financed the rebuilding of their cheese factory after bankers had told them their security was not good enough for negotiation of a loan.

The factory managers issued coupons bearing the factory's promise to pay 50 cents for 100 pounds of milk, redeemable upon sale of the cheese. The factory was able not only to pay a satisfactory dividend but to increase its payments to the farmer to 69 9-10 cents instead of 50 for every 100 pounds of milk. For almost a year the cheese coupons have circulated in the community as readily as actual cash.

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She (with newspaper)—It says here that the Eskimos use fish-hooks for money.

He—Gee! It must be tough on their wives getting fish-hooks out of hubby's pocket while he's sleeping.

She—Oh, well, the nights are six months long us there, dear.—Clipping.

An American gold dollar of 1853 was auctioned today for 7 shillings—\$1.75 at par. The first bid was 5 shillings. "Oh, no!" exclaimed the auctioneer. "The sovereign is up 7 shillings. Surely, the almighty dollar is worth more than that."—Wireless Dispatch to the New York Times.



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Dime, Liberty Bust, before 1840	.25
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